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## Arrivals.

Nov. 29, FE-LOONG, Brit. str., 286, Coleman, Foochow, 26th November, Amoy, 27th, Swatow, 28th, Tea and Sundries.—D. LAPRAIK.

Nov. 29, JAN VAN GALEN, Dut. bq., 366, Bradr, Nagasaki 20th November, General.—WM. PUSTAU & Co.

Nov. 29, POYANG, Amer. str., 821, Green, Shanghai, 23rd November, Sundries.—RUSSELL & Co.

## Departures.

Nov. 29, PICCIOLA, for Rangoon.
Nov. 29, EDWARD MARQUARD, for Bangkok.
Nov. 29, MIRANDA, for Nagasaki.
Nov. 29, CATHERINE APCAR, for Singapore & Calcutta.
Nov. 29, CHRISTINE, for Macao.
Nov. 29, CONSTANTIA, for Whampoa.

## Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, NOVEMBER 29, 1865.

*Peiho*, for Melbourne.
*Oceanica*, for Saigon.
*Daybreak*, for Bangkok.
*Redbreast*, for Iloilo.
*Sir J. Jeejeebhoy*, str., for Macao.
*Zwey Gebruder*, for Amoy.
*Sampan*, for Macao.
*Princess Scaaphi*, for Bangkok.

## Passengers.

*None.*

## Reports.

*Report of S. S. "Poyang."*

The steamer *Poyang*, Commander Green, from Shanghai 23rd 4.30 P.M., 7.30 anchored inside of Light ship, weather thick. Passed in during the night strs. *Kiangsee*, *Yantszefei*, and a P. & O. str. 24th 6.30 A.M. passed Light ship, 8.30 off Gutzlaff, saw str. *Rona* bound in. 25th 7.20 P.M. 15 miles S.W. of Turnabout, saw *Oriflamme*. 26th 2.30 A.M. 20 miles N.E. of Amoy passed str. bound N.E.; 4 P.M. anchored in Good Hope Bay blowing hard and a bad sea running from E.N.E. —27th blowing fresh from E. by N. to N.E. 28th 6.30 A.M. left Good Hope Bay, 9 A.M. 5 miles S.W. of Breaker point, passed *Yesso* 12 A.M. strong winds and rain 1.40 P.M. anchored in China Bay. 29th 6.30 left for Hongkong, and arrived 3.20 P.M.

*Report of S. S. "Fe-loong."*

The *Fe-loong* left Foochow 26th October, Amoy 27th, Swatow 28th, arriving in port this morning.

FOOCHOW.—The *Corea* left with Teas for London on 23rd instant. The schooner *Restless* for Sydney (N.S.W.) with Tea 25th. The ship *Portland* and *Lammermuir* are loading for Swatow, and the *Archer* and *Nabob* for New York. The S. S. *Mona* was on the berth for Shanghai.

AMOY.—The Formosa, left for Foochow 25th, S.S. *Undine* for ditto 27th, the ship *Assyrain* with loss of rudder put in here, bound from Shanghai to Foochow. The ships *Light-Brigade* and *Red Rising Hood* were in Outer Harbor. The Amer. bark *Benefactress* was loading Tea for New York. The Gun-boat *Grasshopper* returned from a Cruize on 26th having been in action with, and destroyed some piratical Junks in Port Matheison.

SWATOW.—The str. *Yesso*, arrived in Swatow late in the afternoon of 28th. Saw the str. *Sumonada* off Chinhae Point on afternoon of 27th.—Passed several sailing vessels standing to Southward. The *Fe-loong* had fine weather throughout her trip; winds N.E. with rain, latterly N.E. and fine.

FOOCHOW SHIPPING.
ARRIVALS.

Nov. 6, Corea, from Hongkong
6, Eunice Nicolas, from Shanghae
7, Tyndale, from Hongkong
7, Hotspur, from Shanghai
7, Spray, from Shanghai
8, Johann Christoff, from Amoy
10, Diamond, from Japan
12, Vindex, from Coast
15, Falk, from Tientsin
16, Portland, from Shanghai
16, Argidius, from Amoy
18, Coromandel, from Shanghai
20, Lammermuir, from Shanghai
21, Flamer, from Formosa
21, Oliver Cutts, from Shanghai
21, Aldebaran, from Shanghai
22, Glencluce, from Shanghai
22, Tycoon, from Hongkong
23, Bessie Searight, from Chefoo

DEPARTURES.

Nov. 6, Alexandrina, for London
7, Paul Riquet, for Chefoo
13, Freide, for Formosa
14, Adelina, for Shanghai
14, Sleipner, for Shanghai
14, Willy, for Chefoo
14, Vindex, for Coast
15, Industry, for Shanghai
17, Queen of East, for Shanghai
18, Johann Christoff, for Falmouth
18, H. Harbeo, for New York
19, Amaranth, for Shanghai
20, Beemah, for London
20, Tynedale, for New York
23, Eunice Nicolas, for Shanghai
23, Corea, for London

JAPAN SHIPPING.
ARRIVALS.

Nov. 4, Lucerne, from Hongkong
5, Eliza Mary, from Hongkong
8, Lieutenant Bellot, from Hongkong
8, Granada, from Shanghai
11, Dupleix, from Shanghai
11, Olza, from Hakodadi
12, Philomela, from Victoria
13, Queen of Avon, from San Francisco
13, Flatworth, from Shanghai
13, Jane Anna, from Shanghai

DEPARTURES.

Nov. 1, Argus, for Osaka
1, Bouncer, for Osaka
1, Leopard, for Osaka
1, Pelorus, for Osaka
1, Princess Royal, for Osaka
1, La Guerriere, for Osaka
1, Dupleix, for Osaka
1, Kien Chan, for Osaka
1, Zeatman, for Osaka
2, Fanny, for Hongkong
2, Julie, for Nagasaki
2, Louisa Braginton, for Shanghai
2, Samuel Russell, for New York
5, Ephrem, for Hongkong
10, Bustard, for Osaka
10, Perseus, for Osaka
10, Eliza Mary, for Shanghai
10, Mousse de Nantes, for Hongkong
11, Raphael, for New York

## Intimations.

LOST.

ON Tuesday, the 7th November a Brown short-haired BITCH, with white neck and feet, bearing on the name *MIGNON*. A reward of Five Dollars will be paid on restoring the Dog to SCHUTZ, at

MARGESSON & Co.

tf 2783 Hongkong, 13th November, 1865.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the undersigned are requested to send particulars that the same may be liquidated; and all who are indebted will please pay their accounts on or before the 30th inst.

GREGORY & Co.

tf 2813 Hongkong, 17th November, 1865.

## Banks.

BANK OF INDIA.

Capital, Rs. 1,00,00,000, (£1,000,000 Sterling.)

ESTABLISHED IN BOMBAY.

Incorporated with unlimited Liability under Act No. XIX of 1857 of the Legislative Council of India.

HEAD OFFICE BOMBAY.

LONDON BANKERS, The London Joint Stock Bank. BRANCHES.—London, Calcutta, Shanghai and Hongkong.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

The Bank draws on the London Joint Stock Bank, London, on its Head Office at Bombay and Branches at London Calcutta and Shanghai. The Bank is also prepared to negotiate bills payable at either of those Places.

DEPOSITS.

Interest will be allowed as follows:—
On Deposits for 3 months certain 4 per cent.
" " 6 " " 5 "
" " 12 " " 6 "

The Bank discounts local bills and grants loans on approved convertible securities.

FRANCIS ANDREWS, *Manager.*

Hongkong, 15th June, 1864.

THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

Paid-up Capital, £1,500,000.

RESERVED FUND, £444,000.

*Court of Directors.*

Harry George Gordon, Esq., Chairman.
William Scott Binny, Esq., Deputy-Chairman.
James Blyth, Esq.
John Lewis Honbote, Esq.
William Walter Cargill, Esq.
Alexander Mackonkie, Esq.
Lestock Robert Reid, Esq.
Patrick F. Robertson, Esq.
Charles J. F. Stuart, Chief Manager.
Patrick Campbell, Sub-Manager.

*Bankers.*

Bank of England.
Union Bank of Scotland.

*Agents in Scotland.*

National Bank of Scotland.
Commercial Bank of Scotland.
R. Dundas Cay, 23, St. Andrew Square Edinburgh.

*Agents in Ireland.*

Provincial Bank of Ireland.
The National Bank.

*Head Office.*

Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

*Banking.*

The Corporation receive money on deposit repayable on demand, upon which no interest is allowed.

They also receive money on fixed deposit repayable at twelve months' notice, upon which interest at five per cent. per annum is allowed.

They discount Bills and Notes payable in Hongkong, having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership; and they make advances upon bullion and goods not of a perishable nature, in the custody of the Bank.

*Exchange.*

The Corporation issue Drafts on the Bank of England payable on demand, and on the Union Bank of London payable at Six months' sight; and they grant Circular Notes for the use of travellers, negotiable in all towns of importance throughout the world.

They also issue Drafts on the Agencies and Branches of the Corporation at Shanghai, Yokohama, Bombay, Calcutta, Ceylon, Madras, Mauritius, Melbourne, Singapore, and Sydney, at the exchange of the day.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Information as to the rules of business may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

Office hours 10 to 3, Saturday, 10 to 1.

J. McDOUALL, *Manager.*

tf 1132 Hongkong, 18th April, 1865.

COMMERCIAL BANK CORPORATION OF INDIA AND THE EAST.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

Paid-up Capital, One Million Sterling.

Reserved fund £169.301.

HEAD OFFICE,—LONDON.

LONDON BANKERS, The London Joint Stock Bank.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES.

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| Bombay, | Singapore. |
| Calcutta, | Foochow. |
| San Francisco, | Hankow. |
| Shanghai. | Yokohama. |

HONGKONG.

THE Bank draws on the London Joint Stock Bank and on all the above Agencies and Branches.

Current accounts are kept with Firms and individuals, free of Commission.

Deposits are received on which interest is allowed at seven per Cent per Annum on Monies lodged for Twelve Months certain and at lower Rates for shorter periods. Loans and discounts granted to constituents.

J. W. MACLELLAN, *Manager.*

504 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1865.

THE BANK of HINDUSTAN, CHINA and JAPAN (Limited).

Capital, Four Millions Sterling, In 40,000 Shares of £100 each. Paid and called up, One Million Sterling. Reserve Fund £92.000. Number of Shareholders 1200. Head Office, No. 1 Bank Buildings, E.C. London.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—JAS. NUGENT DANIELL, Esq.
Deputy Chairman.—RICHARD SPOONER, Esq.

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| William Frederick Baring, Esq. | Wm. Harrison, Esq. |
| Thomas Cotterell, Esq. | James Levick, Esq. |
| David Sassoon, Esq. | J. Mackrill Smith, Esq. |
| Philip Shore Fletcher, Esq. | The Hon. Stuart Wortley |
| Lieut. Colonel Fletcher. | Henry Young Esq. |

GENERAL MANAGER.—John Ouseley, Esq.
SECRETARY.—R. Swire Tomlin, Esq.

BANKERS.

The Bank of England,
The National Bank.
The Alliance Bank (Limited).

*Agents.*

In Scotland, The National Bank of Scotland.
In Ireland, The National Bank of Ireland.

*Branches and Agencies.*

Bombay, Calcutta, Colombo, Kand Shanghai, Yokohama, Singapore, Point de Galle, Manila, Foochow, Ningpo, Hankow, Nagasaki, and Kiukiang.

*Banking.*

The Bank receives Money repayable on demand. No interest allowed on Current Accounts, nor Commission charged thereon.

Deposits are received for fixed periods at rates of interest which may be known on application.

Approved Local Bills are discounted and Advances made upon Bullion and Goods not of a perishable nature.

*Exchange.*

The Bank purchases Bills on Europe, India China, Japan and Australia, and issues Drafts on England on the Bank of England the National Bank and the Alliance Bank, Limited, and on the various Branches and Agencies of the Bank in India, China Japan and Australia, at the current rates of the day.

Office Hours 10 to 3. Saturday 10 to 1.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Manager.

ARCHIBALD STEWART, *Manager.*

tf 2064 Hongkong, 4th August, 1865.

## Banks.

THE AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

NOTICE.—A Branch of this Bank has been opened in *Paris*, under the direction of—
M. ALEXANDER DE LASKI, Président.
M. ARLES DUFOUR, Member of the Lyon's Chamber of Commerce, and of the "Conseil General du Rhone."
M. EDOUARD DELESSERT, Director of the Messageries Imperiales.
M. LYNCH, C.B., K.L.S., President of the London and Bagdad Banking Association Limited.
M. J. B. PASTRE, O. President Marseilles Chamber of Commerce.
M. CHARLES SAUTTER, Banker and Director of the Credit Lyonnais.

This Branch is now prepared to grant Drafts on its Office in Paris, and to negociate Bills of Exchange drawn on Paris and the principal cities of France, and also to forward for collection or acceptance similar documents.

Address in Paris,—No. 10 *Place Vendome.*

THE AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

UNE Succursale de cette Banque a été établie à Paris, sous la direction de—
M. ALEXANDER DE LASKI, Président.
M. ARLES DUFOUR, Membre de la Chambre de Commerce de Lyon, et du Conseil Général du Rhône.
M. EDOUARD DELESSERT, Administrateur des Messageries Impériales Services Maritimes.
M. LYNCH, C.B., K.L.S., Président de London et Bagdad Banking Association, Limited.
M. J. B. PASTRE, Président de la Chambre de Commerce de Marseille.
M. CHARLES SAUTTER, Banquier Administrateur du "Credit Lyonnais."

Cette Branche de la Banque est maintenant préparée et autorisée de donner et de negocier des Lettres de Change sur Paris et les principales villes de France.

Succursale à Paris,—*Place Vendôme*, 10.

RICHARD BARNES, *Manager.*

tf 2031 Hongkong, 31st July, 1865.

AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED IN 1833.

*Incorporated by Royal Charter.*

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000. (One million and a-half Sterling.)
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £3,000,000. (Three Millions Sterling), In 30,000 Shares of £100 Each, and 20,000 of £50 each.

NUMBER OF SHAREHOLDERS, 908. RESERVED FUND, £500,000.

*Head Office*:—
35, NICHOLAS-LANE, LONDON, E.C.
*Edinburgh Branch*:—
17, ST. ANDREW'S SQUARE.
*Paris Branch*:—
10, PLACE VENDOME.

*Branches in India, China and Australia*:— Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, Kurrachee, Agra, Lahore, Shanghai, Hongkong, Sydney, and Melbourne.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

CURRENT Accounts are kept with Firms and individuals free of commission.

Deposits are received for fixed periods at rates of interest which may be known on application.

Local Bills discounted, and advances made on approved securities.

*Exchange.*

The Bank grants Bills of Exchange on its Head Office London and on its Branches in India, Shanghai, and Australia.

The Bank also forwards for collection Drafts Bills, &c., drawn on any of the above places where it has Branches.

Hours of Business 10 A.M. to 3 P.M. Saturday, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

RICHARD BARNES.

tf 2032 Hongkong, 31st July, 1865.

THE ASIATIC BANKING CORPORATION

*Incorporated by Royal Charter.*

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.—£500,000 WITH POWER TO INCREASE TO £2,000,000 (Two CRORES OF RUPEES). *Capital called up*, £425,000

*Head-Office*—No. 1, *Lombard Street, London.*

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

F. Beykett, Esq., *Chairman*, (Messrs. Timothy Wiggins & Co.)
J. A. Russell, Esq., *Deputy-Chairman*, (Messrs. Grey and Coles, London; and Grey & Co., Bombay).
Thomas Cardwell, Esq., Messrs. Thomas Cardwell & Co., London, and Cardwell, Parsons & Co., Bombay).
Charles A. Fearon, Esq., (Messrs. Fearon & Co., London; and late of Messrs. Augustine Heard & Co., China).
Wm. Maitland, Esq., (Messrs. Mackillop, Stewart & Co., Calcutta).

*General Manager*.—Harry John, Esq.
*Bankers.* { The Bank of England. The London Joint Stock Bank.
*Agents in Scotland.*—The British Linen Co.
*Agents in Ireland.*—The National Bank.
*Brokers.*—Messrs. Foster and Braithwaite.
*Solicitors.*—Messrs. Freshfields and Newman.
*Auditors.*—Messrs. Coleman, Turquand Young & Co.

Agencies and Branches of the Bank have been established at Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore Ceylon, Melbourne, Hongkong and Shanghai.

PROMOTERS IN BOMBAY.

THE HON. M. H. SCOTT, (Messrs. Ritchie, Stewart & Co.)
ROBERT HANNAY, Esq., (Messrs. Grey & Co.)
COWASJEE JEHANGHIER, Esq.

The Corporation will shortly be prepared to grant Drafts, and negotiate Bills of Exchange, payable at the above places, issue Letters of Credit, and conduct every description of Banking business connected with the East.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., *Agents.*

463 Hongkong, 27th September, 1864.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY LIMITED.

Subscribed Capital—5,000,000 of Dollars.

*Court of Directors*:—

Chairman—HON. FRANCIS CHOMLEY, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—Hon. THOS. SUTHERLAND, Esq.

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| Albt. F. Heard, Esq. | Geo. F. Maclean, Esq. |
| Geo. J. Helland, Esq. | W. Nissen, Esq. |
| Douglas Lapraik, Esq. | Pallanjee Framjee, Esq. |
| H. B. Lemann, Esq. | Arthur Sassoon, Esq. |

*Managers*:—
Hongkong—Victor Kresser, Esq.
Shanghai—David Maclean, Esq.

HONGKONG BRANCH.—

This Bank has this day commenced business in Hongkong, and is now open to discount Bills and grant Credits on approved Banking Securities.

Current Accounts are kept and interest allowed at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the minimum monthly balances.

Money deposits received for fixed periods at the following rates of interest:—

For 3 Months—3 per cent. per annum.
6 do —5 do do
12 do —6 do do

In addition to the above fixed rates of interest the Company has adopted the principle of setting aside a certain portion of its yearly profits to be given as a bonus on the balances employed by the Bank. Customers keeping Current Accounts and Depositors will participate equally in respect of such Bonus, whether shareholders in the Company or not.

The Company grant Drafts and negotiate Bills of Exchange on London and the chief commercial places of Europe, India, Australia, America and China.

VICTOR KRESSER, *Manager.*

Offices of the Company Wardley House No. 1, Queen's Road.

March 3, 1865. tf 855.

## Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

PROPRIETORS of the Company's Stock are hereby informed that, in accordance with a Resolution passed this day by the Court of Directors, it is now optional to them, on applying to this Office, to have their Shares registered in either of the Bank's Branches or Agencies at Shanghai, Calcutta, Bombay, or London, and that transfers of the Company's Shares may thenceforward be effected at any of the above places of registration; such transfers to be in the first instance approved of by the local Representatives of the Bank.

V. KRESSER, *Manager.*

tf 2607 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.



## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

BOWRA & Co., will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, on

*THIS DAY*,

the 30th November, 1865, at 11 A.M.

By order of N. R. MASON, Esq., Acting Registrar and Official Administrator; The effects of the late JOHN WOODGATE—J. ELLARY—and JOHN SPROULE, consisting of Wearing Apparel; Jewellry, Nautical Instruments, Rifles, Pistols, Sword, Books, Champagne, Porter, &c.

*After which*,

Household Furniture, comprising Bedstead, Chairs, Tables Couches, Pictures, Looking Glass, &c., &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

*THIS DAY*,

the 30th of November, 1865 at 12 o'clock At the Godowns of Messrs JOHN BURD & Co., 500 Barrels FLOUR

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

THOS. HUNT & Co., *Auctioneers.*

Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

*TO-MORROW*,

the 1st December, 1865 at Noon, precisely, At Messrs RUSSELL & Co's Godowns, Wanchai, *for account of the concerned*,

36 Bags RANGOON RICE,
94 " CALCUTTA "

*All more or less Damaged by sea Water*

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

*FRIDAY*,

the 1st December, 1865,—at Noon, AT THEIR SALES ROOMS, QUEEN'S ROAD, [illegible] Boxes, Marline, [illegible] Pearl Mounted [illegible] [illegible] Iron Bound Chests, Padlocks, [illegible] Axes, Adzes, Brass Screws, Handsaws, Sailor's and Butcher's Knives, Corkscrews, &c. Japanese Vases and Japanese Ware.

1 Fountain Soda Water Machine.
50 casks Allsopp's Ale in Quarts.
40 " " " Pints.
48 " Meakins " Quarts.
15 " " " Pints.

American and Japanese Brooms.
16 dozens Rye Whiskey.
6 dozens pints Hock [Rothenberger]
9 cases each 1 dozen Sparkling Moselle.
200-lbs. Macaroni and Vermicelli.
Pearl Barley and Bloaters.
2 casks Glassware.

And at 1 P.M.
*on account of the concerned.*

One Chest Malwa Opium.
1 case Cutlery (damaged) consisting of Carvers, Table Knives and Forks, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed 7.1.7.

Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

VENTE AUX ENCHERES.

PAR Ordonnance Consulaire en date du 24 de Novembre 1865 et à la requête du Capitaine ANDRIEU; il sera procédé en la Chancellerie du Consulat de France (Duddell Street) par le ministère de M. M. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

*SAMEDI*,

Le 2 de Décembre 1865 à Midi: à la vente aux enchères publiques, pour le compte de qui il appartiendra et dans l'état on il se trouve actuellement en rade de Hongkong; du navire le "*Parahyba*." Il sera aussi vendu séparément (sans garantie) un chronomètre de Bréguet.—Un inventaire des objects appartenant au navire est déposé en la Chancellerie du Consulat de France et Chez M. M. LANDSTEIN & CIE.,—à la chute du marteau, les risques sont pour les acquereurs—Le tiers du prix doit être versé à la chute du marteau, le reste lors de la délivrance par le Consul de France d'un certificat attestant la régularité de la vente. Le payement devra être effectué en Dollars Mexicains au poids de 7.1.7.

Hongkong, 25 de Novembre, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

BY virtue of a French Consular Ordinance, and by request of Captain Andrieu, LANE CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction at the French Consulate (Duddell Street) on

*SATURDAY*,

the 2nd December, 1865—at Noon, on account of whom it may concern—as she now lies in the harbour of Hongkong—the French brig

"*PARAHYBA*,"
of 240 Tons.

There will also be sold separately (without guarantee) a chronometer by Bréguet.

Inventories may be found at the French Consulate and at the office of Messrs Landstein & Co.

TERMS OF SALE.—The vessel to be at the risk of the purchaser on the fall of the hammer, and one-third of the purchase money to be then paid, the remainder on delivery by the French Consul of a certificate attesting the regularity of the sale. Cash, in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, 25th November, 186.

YACHT AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by Public Auction, off their Wharf on

*MONDAY*,

the 4th December, 1865 at 4 P.M.

The Clipper Yacht

"*FAIRY*,"

measuring 13 Tons. Coppered, with a complete suit of Sails storm Jib and Flying Jib, mooring buoy and gear, Iron Ballast, Oars, Brass Rowlocks, &c., &c., &c.

She is well known as a fast Sailing Craft, has been recently fitted up, and is in first rate condition ready for use.

At the same time will be sold any other Craft that may offer.

TERMS OF SALE.—The vessel to be at the purchaser's risk on the fall of hammer. Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

## Intimations.

NOTICE.

THE Steamer "*PO-YANG*," daily expected from Shanghai, will, soon after her arrival, commence running regularly between Hongkong and Macao. Season Tickets by this Steamer, available for Three Months, can be had on application to the undersigned.

RUSSELL & Co.

tf 2857 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

## Intimations.

JUST LANDED.

10000 Bags Loaf Sugar in Tin-lined Cases. Tierces Westphalia Hams. Cheddar Cheese, in cases 8 each. Split Peas in Barrels.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2890 Hongkong 30th November, 1865.

NOTICE.

DURING Operations being now carried on for the removal of the wreck of the Steamer "*Chu Paou Yuen*," all Commanders of vessels entering or leaving this Port are requested to give a wide berth to the boat containing the apparatus.

This boat will fly during the day a *Red and White* pendant, and will shew at night, a *Pale Blue* light.

JOHN C. BAYNTON, Pagoda Anchorage,

tf 2892 Foochow, 25th November, 1865. n-30

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

THE Steamship

"FEE-LONG,"

Captain Toppin, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 1st December, at 8 A.M.

For Freight or Passage apply to D. LAPRAIK.

tf 2391 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

TO LET.

A FURNISHED BED ROOM, Address A. B. Daily Press Office.

tf 2800 Hongkong, 16th November, 1865.

*Chi Tah.*

上海聚泰行

I have established myself at this Port as Public TEA INSPECTOR.

J. OSBORNE,

6m 2880 Shanghai, 26th November, 1865 o-29

MEDICAL ASSISTANT.

WANTED a *thoroughly qualified* ENGLISH DISPENSING ASSISTANT. First class testimonials as to competency and character indispensable. Apply to

ALFRED WRIGHT, *Chemist and Druggist*, Wyndham Street.

tf 2862 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

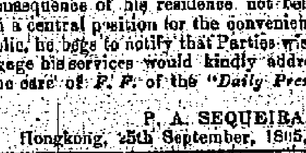
NOTICE.

THE undersigned, PIANO TUNER and REPAIRER, begs leave to intimate to the Public that in consequence of his residence not being situated in a central position for the convenience of the Public, he begs to notify that Parties wishing to engage his services would kindly address him to the care of *F. P.* of the "*Daily Press*" Office.

P. A. SEQUEIRA.

tf 2421 Hongkong, 25th September, 1865.

THE HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS.



TO-MORROW (Friday)—Parade to be formed at 5 P.M. at Government Buildings with Arms and accoutrements—Drill as ordered, on the ground.

By Order.

H. J. U. TRIPP, *Capt. and Adjt.*

tf 2869 Hongkong, 27th November, 1865.

NOTICE.

NEITHER the Captain, nor the Owners of the British Barque *Pride of the West* will be responsible for any Debt incurred by the crew of said vessel.

W. CROWAN, *Master.*

tf 2874 Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the wreck of the British Vessel "*Shakespeare*," when last seen, was in a position dangerous to vessels entering or leaving the anchorage under the "White Dogs."

The Bearings were as follows:—
The South Dog..........E. by S. ½ S.
Breakwater Rock..........N. by W. ½ W.
Tongsha, E. End..........N. E. by N.

Vessels coming to the Anchorage from the Eastward, should round the "South Dog" one cable to the Southward, and steer West until Castle Rock is in one with the reef inside the Middle Dog, and then haul up for the Anchorage.

Vessels from the Northward coming in between the Sea Dog and Tongsha, should round the Breakwater Rock ¼ a cable's length off, and Anchor before bringing Castle Rock open of the East end of Tongsha.

F. NEVILL MAY, Acting Commissioner of Customs

1m 2862 Foochow, 20th November, 1865 n-25

WANTED a RUNNER for the "Sailor's Home," applicants will be required to produce proof of good character.

Apply to Superintendent at the Sailor's Home

1w 2871 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

$100. REWARD.

THE above Reward will be given to any person giving such information, as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the parties, who committed the Burglary on the Night of the 27th Instant at "Bisneo Villa," Pokefoolum.

D. RUTTONJEE.

2w 2875 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

LOST.

ON THURSDAY, the 23rd November a Japanese DOG with Black Spot, bearing on the name Satsuma—a Reward will be paid on restoring the Dog to

A. B. DA ROZA, Old Bailey Street.

tf 2861 Hongkonk 25th November, 1865.

GENTLEMEN can be accommodated with first Class BOARD including Wines &c., at $50 per Month.

Apply No. 1 Old Bailey Street.

1w 2868 Hongkong, 27th November, 1865.

NOTICE.

A Small box marked N. T. containing Silver Ware, received from one of the Coast ports per *Undine*, is lying at the Office of the Undersigned. The Consignee is requested to take delivery of same.

D. LAPRAIK.

tf 2798 Hongkong, 15th November, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Chinese News Paper, which was established simultaneously with this Journal, and which is published at and issued from his Office, is about to be again and for the fourth time enlarged in order to accommodate the ever increasing mass of information and Advertisements which are found available.

This Chinese issue is Published three times per week namely on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Its circulation amongst the native community in this Colony, in Macao, and in Canton is extensive, and its subscription list embraces the names of numerous Chinese residents at Swatow, Amoy, Formosa, Shanghai, Ningpo, Tientsin, Peking, and Japan, besides Singapore, Honolulu, California and Australia. In fact, but for the application of the Printing Machine, the demand for this Paper could hardly be supplied. As an Advertising medium it will be found most efficacious, and especial attention is called to the reduction of the rate for advertising, which was made for the purpose of conforming to native ideas.

*Terms.*

Advertisements, containing 50 Characters or under (including translating)..........50 cents. For every additional Character..........½ cent. Repetition (the range of the current week being considered as one insertion or a repetition) half price.

Subscription $4 per Annum.

"*Daily Press*" Office.

Hongkong, 23rd October, 1865.

WANTED.

A FEW AMOY BOOKS SHARES.

For particulars apply to D. LAPRAIK.

tf 2342 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1865.

## Intimations.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

Capital $300,000, in 3,000 Shares of $100 each *Bankers*.—THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THIS Company has been formed with the object of establishing and carrying on a large and First-rate HOTEL and FAMILY HOTEL at Hongkong, for the purchase of the property and buildings necessary for the purpose, and for the purchase of the Lease and Business of the "Oriental Hotel" now existing in Hongkong, which, with its proprietary and the good will of the concern, will be absorbed into the Company.

The insufficiency of the existing Hotel accommodation in Hongkong to meet the wants and comforts of Travellers is notorious, and forms a continual subject of complaint; and this fact, coupled with the knowledge of the large profits made by the Proprietors of the two or three Hotels at present existing here, is, in the opinion of the promoters of the scheme, a reliable guarantee that a handsome return will be made to Shareholders on their capital invested.

Arrangements have been made for the purchase on advantageous terms, of the two houses known as "Keying House" and "Marine House," both situated in the very central part of the Queen's Road, the former having in addition a frontage to Pedder's Wharf, which makes it the very best site for a large Public Hotel in the whole Colony.

The Provisional Directors have it in contemplation to so arrange the Public Hotel, as to afford not only accommodation for the large number of Travellers who have to stay in the Colony for a day or two, but also to have ample means of affording to residents here the facility of lodging in the House at stated Tariffs. A first-rate Table D'Hote (under the care of an efficient *Chef de Cuisine*, assisted by an ample staff), Billiard Rooms, Smoking and Reading Rooms, and the establishment of a room on the principle of the Jerusalem Coffee House in London, where Shipmasters may meet each other, their Charterers and Consignees, and which, being supplied with the very latest intelligence daily arriving from all parts of the World, may serve as an "Exchange" to the Colony,—are also portions of the scheme to be carried out.

The services of a Manager thoroughly conversant with the control and management of Hotels of this class will be secured, and he will be furnished with a full and proper staff of assistants and servants, so as to have the working part of the business carried on in a regular and efficient manner.

The greater portion of the Capital is already subscribed, and it is not doubted that a scheme which promises to supply such a want as is admitted to exist in this respect, to afford to residents facilities and accommodation never before to be had here, and at the same time to be a remunerative investment, will at once recommend itself to the Public.

The Company will be registered with Limited Liability, and the Articles of Association are in active preparation.

A call of $25 per Share will be payable on Allotment, and another call of a similar amount in three months afterwards. Further calls may be made by the Directors as need requires, subject to the restrictions of the Articles of Association and at never less than two months' notice.

Applications to be in the following form:—
*To the* PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS OF THE "HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED."

GENTLEMEN,

I beg to apply for..........Shares in the above Company, and undertake to accept the same, or any lesser number that may be allotted to me, and to sign the Articles of Association of the Company when called on so to do.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
..........*Name,*
..........*Address.*

IN Pursuance of a resolution passed at the General meeting of Subscribers, held on Wednesday the 15th inst. further applications for shares will be received by the Provisional Committee at the office of D. Lapraik, Esq., until Friday the 15th of December next.

By order of the Provisional Committee

GIFFORD F. PARKER, *Secretary pro tem.*

tf 2871—28th N.

RIMMEL'S
UNRIVALLED
PERFUMERY,

*Warranted to retain its excellent quality in any climate.*

RIMMEL'S TOILET VINEGAR, to supersede Eau de Cologne.
RIMMEL'S LAVENDER WATER, distilled from Mitcham flowers.
RIMMEL'S JOCKEY CLUB, Frangipanne, &c, of exquisite fragrance.
RIMMEL'S GLYCERINE, Honey, Windsor, and other Toilet Soaps.
RIMMEL'S LIME JUICE and Glycerine for beautifying the Hair.
RIMMEL'S PERFUME VAPORIZER, Perfume Fountains, &c., &c.
RIMMEL'S BOOK OF PERFUMES with 250 illustrations, 5s.

Sold by all Perfumery Vendors in the World.

E. RIMMEL, Perfumer to H. R. H. the PRINCESS OF WALES.

96, Strand; 128, Regent Street, and 24, Cornhill, London.

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GRANULES OF HYDROCOTYLE ASIATICA OF J. LEPINE.—Acording to the official report of the Academy of Medicine, Paris, according to the experience of the Profession in the East Indies and in other countries, this new drug is a most successful remedy for the Diseases of the Skin, of the most serious nature, as Lepra Elephantiasis, Syphilis, Scrofula, Rheumatism, &c. &c. The Academical report has widened its original sphere of action, which in the Indies was confined to the skin.

Several distinguished authorities on skin diseases, as Cazenave, Devergie, Hillairet, Physicians to St. Louis Hospital, have used it successfully for European Skin Diseases, rebellious Ceremas, Psoriasis, Impetigo, Herpes, &c., also for Syphilitic and Rheumatic affections.

Sold in Paris by M. Labelonye, Chemist, 19, Rue Barbon Villeneuve.—General Depot in Hongkong, at J. J. da Silva e Souza.

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A SMALL Invoice of Choice Genuine HAVANA CIGARS.

Regalia de la Rayna Flor.
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Media Regalia Flor.
do. do. Fina.
Conchas Flor.
Conchas Flor Fina.

*Also.*

Choice Cavite and Manila Cigars.
Imperiales, Cabalteras, Regalias & Londres, No. 1, Cavite Cigars, in Boxes of 250.
No. 2 do. do. in Boxes of 500, of 1863 1864, and 1865.
No. 3, 4 and 5 Cigars; in Boxes of 500.
No. 1 Cavite Cheroots, in Boxes of 250.
No. 2 Cavite Cheroots, in Boxes of 500 of 1864 and 1865.
No. 2 Manila Cigars and Cheroots of 1861, 1863, 1864, and 1865.
No. 3 Manila Cheroots of 1863 and 1865.

Apply to A. L. AGABEG, Jr., No. 71 Wellington Street, Upstairs.

1y 2704 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

WANTED by a Young Man just arrived from the Colonies, a situation as Clerk in a Mercantile Office, can Keep Books.

Address E Office of this Paper.

tf 1718 Hongkong, 22nd June, 1865.

NOTICE.

A Young Man European, would be glad to find an employment as Clerk, can Keep Books, and is conversant with French.

A very moderate salary would be accepted.

Address S. Office of this Paper.

tf 2069 Hongkong, 4th August, 1865.

## Intimations.

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE British Steamer

"DUMBARTON,"

Captain Shaw, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 1st December at daylight.

For freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 2883 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

FAWCETT & Co., are now landing Ex "*Violet*" Guiness' Stout, Allsopp's Pale Ale, Bass' Ale in Hhds, and Hennessey and Martell Brandy.

tf 2884 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

AYAU,
PHOTOGRAPHER,

WILL be happy to take Views of Private Residences, Offices, and Public Buildings, depots in harbour, buildings at Pokefoolum etc., and accompany picnic parties, in consideration of a sale of five pictures at $1 each, or 12 pictures for $9.

Gentlemen may obtain the services of AYAU at their own private residence on same terms. All orders should be addressed.

AYAU, Post-Office,

2w 2885 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

ARMY SERVICES.

NOTICE.

TENDERS will be received by the Assistant Commissary General at or before noon on the 14th December 1865, for the performance of the undernamed Painters Work.

*Contract No. 1.*—Painting externally the Military Hospital and outbuildings appertaining thereto.

*Contract No. 2.*—Painting externally the Officer's Quarters, and outbuildings appertaining thereto, at Stanley Barracks

*Contract No. 3.*—Painting internally and externally the Soldiers quarters and Hospital with the outbuildings appertaining thereto at Stanley Barracks

Specifications, Terms and Conditions of Contract can be seen, and all information relative to the above services obtained, at the Royal Engineer Office, Queen's Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day, Sundays excepted.

No tender will be recognized unless the party making it shall previously register his name in the Royal Engineer Office, where proper "forms" for tendering upon may be obtained.

The War Department reserves to itself the right to reject the whole, or any of the tenders.

Controller's Office Commissariat.

HENRY ROBINSON, A. C. G.

tf 2886 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE British schooner

"BRITAINS PRIDE,"

of 143 Tons Register, 3000 Piculs Carrying Capacity.

For particulars, apply to MACEWEN & Co.

1w 2887 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE A 1 British Barque

"RIFLE,"

Captain Elliot, of 325 Tons Register.

Apply to JOHNSON & Co.

tf 2888 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

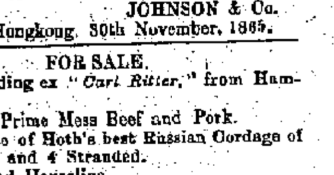
FOR SALE.

NOW landing ex "*Carl Ritter*," from Hamburg,

Hamburg Prime Mess Beef and Pork.
An Invoice of Hoth's best Russian Cordage of every size, 3 and 4 Stranded.
Marline and Houseline.
6 to 24 Thread Rope,
Loglines, Leadlines and Signal Hallyards.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 2889 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.



## Notices to Consignees.

BARQUE "*Magthora*" Captain Taylor from Singapore Consignees of Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery.

GILMAN & Co.

tf 2866 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

THE Consignees of Cargo per "*Rostin Castle*" Capt. Nicoll from Singapore are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods.

GILMAN & Co.

tf 2863 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

"*VIOLET*," FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above mentioned vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their goods.

Those having the option of delivery at Whampoa will please state at once at which port they intend to take delivery.

BIRLEY & Co.

tf 2858 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1865.

"*SYDNEY EGGERS*" FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their goods. Those having the option of delivery at Whampoa are requested to state at once at which port they intend receiving their goods.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.

tf 2841 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE following Packages are still unclaimed and are lying in the P. & O. Co.'s Parcel Room at the Risk of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Captain Jackson..........1 Box Baggage.
From London C C R, in (diamond) No. 53, 1 Box Patent Medicines.
From Southampton H.O. No. 1000, 1 Box Books
From Trieste R M No. 15, 1 Box Sundries consignee S. Martin.
N in (diamond) N F A } 1 Pol. Cotton Samples

tf 2783 Hongkong, 9th November, 1865.

THE B. S. S. N. Co. STEAMER "*ASIA*"

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Steamer are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the undersigned and take immediate delivery of their Goods otherwise they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

tf 2603 Hongkong, 15th November, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE following Cases are still unclaimed, and are lying in the Messageries Imperiales Parcel Room at the Risk of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

K L (in diamond)..........four casks
R (in diamond), . 1 Case Books.
J L & Co., No. 11, . 1 do. Glass-ware.
Pascale Pastovethy, . 1 do. Preserves.
E S (in triangle) F A D 4/8 12/13 } 4 chests Merchize
F A D 716 1472/3 102 . 5 do. do.
F B 3973/8 . 5 do. do.

tf 2801 Hongkong, 17th November, 1865.

# Docks.

## HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS, at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA, are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which this Establishment offers for the Docking and Repair of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public.

ABERDEEN DOCKS.
DOCK No. 1.
Built of GRANITE.
Length 330 feet.
Breadth 80 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides 18½ "
Do. Neap Tides 16 "

NEW DOCK, No. 2.
Built of GRANITE.
Length 400 feet.
Breadth 90 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides 24 "
Do. Neap Tides 21½ "
This Dock is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.
DOCK A.
Built of GRANITE.
Length 550 feet
Breadth 80 "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides 16½ a 17 ft.
do. Neap " 13½ a 15 "
This can be used either as one or two Docks

DOCK B.
Built of GRANITE.
Length 340 feet
Breadth 80 "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18 feet
do. Neap do. 15 "
This Dock is at present in course of alteration. The above are the largest Docks in China, and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.
Built of Wood.
Length 260 ft.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides 14 "
do. do Neap, " 11 "
Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.
Length 164 feet
Depth of Water at Spring Tides. 16.0 "
do. do. Neap " 9.6 "

DOCK E.
Length 120 feet
Depth of Water at Spring Tides 11 "
do. do. Neap 8 "
D. and E. are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.
The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.—capable of executing work on the largest scale, and driven by steam. The Shipwright's and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.
Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty, alongside which vessels can lie in 24 feet water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKER'S DEPARTMENTS.
The Company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships, for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.
Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.
The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c.

STEAM TUG.
The Company's powerful Steam TUG *Fame*, (110 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow sailing vessels from Hongkong to the Dock *free of charge*, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.
For further particulars apply to G. N. MINTO, General Manager at the Office of the Company in Hongkong.

D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

*N.B.—The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.*
Hongkong, April 3, 1865.

## PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS, are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS, at the above Port, afford every facility for Repairing and Sparring Vessels and for Cleaning and Painting Iron and Steam Ships.
Their large GRANITE DOCK, 286 feet long on the Blocks, is in complete Working order, and at average Spring tides can take Vessels Drawing 16 to 17 feet Water. The Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate and with a Centrifugal Steam Pump of great power ensuring despatch in all states of the tide. An ample stock is kept on hand of Timber, Oregon Spars, Sheathing Copper and Yellow Metal, and of every description of Material required for Dock Yard use.
The Premises comprise an Engineer's Workshop, a large Smithy and Carpenter's Workshops, and the Works are superintended by Resident Europeans, viz., a Shipwright, an Engineer, and a Blacksmith. Dry Godowns for the reception of Vessels stores &c., when requiring to discharge them.
tf 966 23m Amoy, March 1865.

## DANES ISLAND DOCKS, WHAMPOA.

CONDUCTED BY GOW & Co.

ONE DOCK, 240 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 14 feet, at Spring Tides.
One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet, at Spring Tides.
There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels.
All kinds of Ship, and Blacksmiths Work done.
The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.
The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.
No Commission charged upon any Metal or Stores supplied by the Ship.
Apply to
JOHN BIACH & Co, *Hongkong;* or to
MR. JAMES BADENOCH, *Manager, Whampoa.*
tf Hongkong, 4th September, 1863.

## FOOCHOW DOCK, MARNOI POINT, RIVER MIN.

THE undersigned respectfully begs to notify to Commanders, and Consignees of Ships, that the above Granite Floored Dock is now ready to receive Vessels. Its dimensions are as follow:—length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet at top 95 feet, depth of water on the sill, Spring Tides, average 18 feet, Neaps 15 feet.
The Dock is fitted with a Cassoon Gate and is pumped out by steam in two hours. The Shipwrights' department, under the superintendence of an experienced European Shipwright, contains a large stock of Australian and other hardwoods, Oregon Pine Lumber from one inch thick to eighteen inches square; also Spars from thirty inches, to partners. In connection with the above is a Steam Saw Mill to insure despatch in work.
The Blacksmiths' department, under the superintendence of an experienced European, is also well supplied.
Dry Godowns, and a large Hulk for the reception of Cargo, or Store.

JOHN C. SKEY, *Manager.*
tf 1162 Foochow, 18th April 1865.

NOTICE.
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.
THE Third Call of Fifty Dollars ($50) per Share on the new Stock of the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, is due on the 1st January Next, and is payable at the "Agra and Masterman's Bank," Receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.
By Order of the Directors,
D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*
tf 2172 Hongkong, 27th November, 1865.

# Docks.

## UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters to their Establishments at WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes.
Their Docks in Whampoa, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition.
The Docks are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours, and capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides.
The WORK SHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmiths, Boiler Maker, and Foundry—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.
The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.
A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears, longside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c
A STEAM TUG always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.
All Work carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.
For further particulars, apply to
J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary,*
or CAPT. T. B. RENNELL, *Manager at Whampoa.*
*N.B.*—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.
tf 950 Hongkong, 21th March, 1865.

NOTICE.
UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, (LIMITED.)
THE Third Call of Two Hundred Dollars ($200) per Share is due on the 6th January next and is payable at the COMMERCIAL BANK CORPORATION OF INDIA AND THE EAST, receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.
Interest at the rate of twelve per centum per Annum will be charged on all calls unpaid after the above date.
By order of the Directors,
J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*
tf 2753 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

## The Bangkok Dock Company's. NEW DOCK.

THIS Magnificent Dock is now ready to receive Vessels of any burthen and the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters is respectfully solicited to the advantages for Repairing and Sparring Vessels which no other Dock in the East can offer.
The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the public.
The Dimensions and Depth of water being:
Length 300 feet. (to be extended)
Breadth 100 feet.
Depth of Water 15
The Dock is fitted with a Caisson, has a splendid entrance of 120 feet from the River with a spacious Jetty on each side, where Vessels of any size may lay at any state of the Tides, to lift Masts, Boilers etc—with Powerful Lifting Shears, which are now in the course of construction.
The Dock is fitted with Steam Pumps of Great Power insuring Dispatch in all states of the Tides.
WORKSHOPS.
The Workshops comprise the different departments of *Shipwright, Mast and Block Makers, Blacksmiths, Engineers, Foundry, etc.*
The whole being superintended by Europeans, who have had many years experience in the different branches.
The *Workmen* are the best picked men from Hongkong and Whampoa.
The Company draws particular attention to the Great advantages this Dock offers, being in a Port where the best Teak and other Timber can be had at the cheapest cost.
A *Steam Saw Mill* is also in connection with the Dock to insure dispatch in work.
The *Keel Blocks* are 4 feet in height and can be taken out or shifted without cutting or causing any expense to ships having to get them removed.
The Company is also prepared to give estimates or enter into Contracts for the repairs of Wooden or Iron Ships; the Building of New Ships, Steam Boats, etc., or any kind of work connected with shipping.
All Material supplied at Market price. Vessels for Docking may lay at the Company's Buoys or Wharf free of charge until ordered to remove by the Superintendent.
Captains of Vessels before leaving the Dock must approve and sign their Dockage Bills.
All communications respecting the docking to be addressed *until further notice* to the undersigned, by whom all Bills will be signed and collected.
JOHN BUSH, *Managing Director.*
Bangkok, 16th Sept, 1865.
1y 2626 Hongkong, 20th October, 1865.

# Intimations.

NOTICE.
A GOOD EUROPEAN COOK (of Switzerland) wishes to find an employment, can give good reference.
Address E. B. Office of this Paper.
tf 2261 Hongkong, 31st August. 1865.

HONGKONG CITY HALL.
SHAREHOLDERS in the above Institution can obtain Scrip Certificates in Exchange for Provisional Receipts on application to Mr. J. McDONALD, Hony. Treasurer, at the Oriental Bank.
tf 2555 Hongkong, 11th October, 1865.

Wm. DOLAN.
*SAILMAKER*
DUDDELL STREET, HONGKONG.
tf Hongkong, 29th July, 1864.

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DEPARTURES OF STEAMERS.
The "*Fee-loong*" leaves for Swatow, Amoy and Foochow, To-morrow, the 1st December, at 8 A.M.
The "*Dumbarton*" leaves for S.hai, To-day, the 30th Instant, at 7 P.M.

DEATH.
At Hongkong, on the 28th Instant, BURJORJEE NUSSERWANJEE GOTLIBAY in his 46th year, from the effects of wounds received from robbers who attacked and robbed his Villa at Albany on the night of the 16th November.

# The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, NOVEMBER 30, 1865.

THE *Feitoong* brings some intelligence from Amoy relative to pirates, regarding which two constructions are currently reported. One that the gun-boat *Haughty* had attacked a piratical fleet of eight Junks, and had been beaten off with the loss of sixteen men;—the other that the gun-boat *Grasshopper* had beaten off eight pirate Junks and had taken sixteen prisoners to Amoy.

Since writing the above we found the following account of the affair in our contemporary's columns.

H.M.'s gun-boat *Grasshopper*, Lieutenant MOSANT, has had a very severe engagement with pirates near Port Matheson, the fight lasting between two and three hours. It appears from the report in circulation in Amoy that she fell in with no less than eight heavily armed craft off Rogues Point, and met with very determined resistance, one shot piercing the gunboat's quarter and wounding severely men; seven or eight shells were fired into one junk before she blew up. No less than seventeen are reported killed on our side; which we trust may be an exaggeration. The *Grasshopper*, at the termination of the engagement, however, proved to have had the best of it, as she sank four, and managed to capture another, which she towed into Amoy; whether with any prisoners or not we are unable to say, but we trust she has once more been the means of bringing a few of the scamps to justice.

OUR postal dates from England are now sixty-five days old. Strange to say, long as the *Salsette* was in coming, and notwithstanding she has been here above two weeks, still her dates are the latest. The conduct of the Superintendent of the P. & O. Company at Bombay has been such as to shake public confidence, and our reliance at the present moment is in the Messageries Imperiales. Their boat has now been forty-two days out from Marseilles, forty-four from London!

WE understand that Mr. H. C. Caldwell (late with Mr. Owen) passed his examination on Tuesday last prior to being admitted to practice as an attorney at law.

MR. Burjorjee Nusserwanji Gotlibay, whose house was attacked on the 16*th instant* was buried yesterday having died from the effects of wounds received in the encounter with the robbers.

The criminal sessions of the Supreme Court which lasted for six days (being the first sessions after vacation) came to a close on Saturday. The gaol delivery comprised sixty nine persons who were tried on twenty two indictments and upon the whole (with the exception of one case) both the crimes and the punishments were of a mild character. The only European convicted was one charged with embezzlement who was sentenced to nine months imprisonment. The most severe sentence was one of five years penal servitude and one hundred and fifty lashes each, passed upon two natives convicted of piracy, and which may in itself be considered a commutation of sentence of death, as the Chief Justice declared that their guilt was so evident as to preclude any hope of mercy, but at the eleventh hour they were saved by a legal juggle over the meaning of a word. To carefully prove a man guilty of a capital offence, and after fully establishing the charge, to let him off the punishment, because the meaning of a certain word can be defined, and has been defined in a certain manner, may appear to some to be the height of forensic acumen, but to others again it appears as a very stale absurdity, inasmuch as whatever Walker, a Noah Wester, and the learned judge that tried the case of *Graves v Finch* may say is the meaning of a given word, the guilt of the criminal is just the same. If the criminal act is clearly proved to have taken place, common sense tells us that whether it was done on the 16th of July or on the 23rd of August, the man who did it is equally guilty. The public has not a professional conscience besides the ordinary one, and looks upon these *jeux d'esprit* as quite misplaced when a man's life on the one hand and public justice on the other are the matters at stake.

The remaining sentences were of a light character, the longest term of imprisonment being two years, awarded to the drain robbers; one eighteen months for larceny, and twelve months for child stealing brings us down to what may be termed the usual fare of all our ordinary delinquents viz: six months hard labour seasoned by one hundred and fifty lashes. Cruel and inhuman as that punishment is, we fully agree in the learned Chief Justice's *dictum* that those who act like brutes must be treated like brutes, and if this colony has to be spared the erection of half a dozen more gaols for the accomodation of the scum of the population of Canton, it is this flogging that has to do it. Naturally patient, cringing and cowardly, the Chinese are as indifferent to simple confinement as they are afraid of corporal punishment.

However these sessions were not remarkable [the] severity of the punishments inflicted; but rather by the number of persons acquitted of the charges brought against them. We have already from time to time given the names of the persons convicted, and we now append a list of those who were acquitted.

Frederick Ackerman, Antonio Emanuel, Joseph Lewes, John Duncan, Andrew Johnson, Benjamin Jones, Nicholas George, Andrew Lego, — *Larceny.*
Fan Acheo *Possession of forged note.*
Leong Aseong, *Larceny.*
Yum Kum Sing, Yung Afook, Tu Aloy, — *Cow stealing.*
Asan, Ayow, Aming, Kum Tai, Alok, — *Piracy.*
Daniel Leggins, Robert Freeman, James Evans, Henry Foreman, William Tilly, — *Larceny.*
Cheong Akum *Child stealing.*
Lee Asu, do.
Lee Chek Tai *Drain robbery.*
Isang Aloy, Ho Akei, Ho Aso, — *Forcible detention.*
Cheong Afook, Ho Apo, Man Kwei, Sing Foon, Ayow, Ho Ayow, Sing Yow, Ham Yow, — *Piracy.*

Rather a full list of acquittals to be sure, and one that proves one of two things viz: that if these men are really innocent of the crimes imputed to them, a gross act of injustice has been done them in detaining them for weeks—aye some of them for months in custody; or that if they are guilty, a great amount of negligence is manifested at the Supreme Court in letting them slip through the meshes of the law, and turning them out again on society unpunished. We incline to the opinion that their is a little negligence at the Supreme Court and a good deal of ignorance at the Magistracy. At the latter place the presiding genius *pro tem* does not exactly know which cases to commit and which not to commit, and it seems that when he has a doubt, he lets the Supreme Court have the benefit of that doubt, and commits the prisoners. At the Supreme Court itself there seems to be generally something wanting in the way the cases are prepared. People who *know* the case perceive that this bungling with depositions and plans, and witnesses, and interpreters, is fatal to a perspicuous inquiry into the circumstances. Every preparation seems to have been done in a way as if the parties engaged, had not really the time to do it properly. It is true there is much shrugging of the shoulders and shaking of the head by the learned judge, but still every thing passes off comfortably and a mild comment is rarely heard.

We do not however consider it to be at all in the proper order of things under an English administration of justice, to have about forty people imprisoned for periods varying from a fortnight to a couple of months for no offence at all. That is the very thing we are so fond of decrying in Russia or Naples, and we strongly object to it in any British possession, as we are convinced that it is as objectionable to the Imperial government as it is repugnant to the best instincts of the British nation.

## Tientsin Races.

*To the Editor of the "Daily Press."*

TIENTSIN, 3*rd November*, 1865.

DEAR SIR,—Enclosed I beg to hand you an account of our Tientsin Autumn Race Meeting which I will be glad if you can spare sufficient room for in your daily paper,—I remain, dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Our Autumn Meeting took place on the 12th 13th and 14th ultimo. The weather was as fine as could be desired, the course in fair order, and a large sprinkling of visitors both Foreign and Chinese rendered the scene more like "the old country" than any of our former meetings. The racing on the whole was excellent, the time superlatively good, and the Ponies as they cantered passed the Stand appeared of a higher class than usual, which their performances did not belie.

FIRST DAY.

TSZ-CHU-LIN STAKES.—Value 75 Taels. Half a mile.
1. Mr. WAVERLEY'S *Envoy.*
2. " MARTINS' *Blancmange.*
3. " WAVERLEY'S *Mystery.*

Shortly after one o'clock the Ponies accompanied the starter to the post—after a little delay the Ponies with the exception of "Grey" got off well together. At the Corner *Envoy* was let go and shot ahead several lengths when he was eased and won in a canter by five or six lengths. *Mystery* pulled up dead lame.

TOWN PLATE.—Value 40 Taels. Once round. For hack Ponies.
1. Mr. HARRY'S *Nervous.*
2. " THE UNION'S *Rejected.*
3. " MARTIN'S *Ebony.*

*Rejected* went away with a good lead which he maintained until half way round when he was collared by *Nervous* who won easily. Time 3 minutes, 5 seconds.

MAIDEN PLATE.—Value 100 Taels. One mile. For all Ponies which have never run in China.
1. THE UNION'S *Paragon.*
2. MR. CARDUFF'S *Jack O'Lantern.*
3. " JACKSON'S *Ringleader.*

The start unfortunately in this race was not as good as could have been wished, the above three Ponies getting away with a tremendous lead in the same order as they came in; none of the rest of the field being able to recover the distance lost at the post. Time 2 minutes, 31 seconds.

TIENTSIN CUP.—Value 75 Taels. Two and a half miles.
1. Mr. MARSHALL'S *Omnia in Omnibus.*
2. " JACKSON'S *Touch and Go.*
3. " SEMPER'S *Donner.*

A capital race from beginning to end. *Touch and Go* and *Frame Work* leading up to the last half mile, where *Frame Work* shut up—*Touch and Go* continuing his lead to the distance post when *Omnia* challenged him and won by a length. Time 6 minutes, 29 seconds.

PEI-HO STAKES.—Value 75 Taels. Three quarters of a mile.
1. Mr. WAVERLEY'S *Imposter.*
2. " JACKSON'S *Ringleader.*
3. " MARTIN'S *Blancmange.*

An exciting race; till within twenty yards of the Judges' box it was impossible to distinguish which was leading, when *Imposter* made a rush and won cleverly by a neck. Time 1 minute, 40 seconds.

PEKING CUP.—Value 75 Taels. One and a half mile.
1. Mr. MARSHALL'S *Omnia in Omnibus.*
2. THE UNION'S *Paragon.*
3. MR. CARDUFF'S *J. O'Lantern.*

*Paragon* lead all the way to the distance post when he was collared by *Omnia* who won pretty easily. Time 3 minutes, 40 seconds.

FLYAWAY STAKES.—Value 50 Taels. One and a half miles. Across Country.
1. Mr. LEICESTER'S *Matadore.*
2. MR. WAVERLEY'S *Sloe.*

Four ponies started, only two went over the course. *Matadore* winning easily.

SECOND DAY.

KIACHTA CUP.—Value 75 Taels. One mile. Winners 7lbs Extra.
1. MR. CARDUFF'S *Jack O'Lantern.*
2. MR. CARDUFF'S *Sir Michael.*
3. MR. WILLIAMS' *Blitz.*

A good race—*Jack O'Lantern* winning by a clear length, a neck separated the second and third ponies. Time 2 minutes, 10 seconds.

ROADSTERS PLATE.—Value 50 Taels. Twice round.
1. THE UNION'S *Rejected*
2. MR. HARRIS'S *Nervous.*
3. MR. MARTIN'S *Ebony.*

Won pretty easily by *Rejected. Nervous* a good second, Time 6 minutes, 56 seconds.

CHALLENGE CUP.—Value 100 Guineas. Two miles.
1. MR. JACKSON'S *Touch & Go.*
2. " SEMPER'S *Donner.*
3. THE UNION'S *Paragon.*

This race was the event of the day, *Touch & Go* went off at a rattling pace closely followed by *Donner* which was kept up right through to the utter discomfiture and dismay of the Jocks who were riding waiting races. Time 4 minutes, 58 seconds.

MONGOL CUP.—Value 100 Taels. One mile and a quarter.
1. MR. JACKSON'S *Ringleader.*
2. " CARDUFF'S *Sir Michael.*
3. " MR. MARSHALL'S *Omnia.*

This was a penalty race former winners carrying 7lbs. extra. A very close race between *Sir Michael* and *Ringleader.* The latter just winning by a head. Time 2 minutes, 58 seconds.

STEEPLECHASE.—Value 50 Taels, over a cut course.
1. MR. LEICESTER'S *Matadore.*
2. " JUDGES *Mr. Patch.*

*Matadore* was the only pony that got over the first jump and went round winning at his ease. *Mr. Patch's* Jockey who had been thrown, remounted and going round most pluckily, was placed second.

CONSOLATION.—Value 30 Taels. One mile, for all beaten ponies.
Won by *Sir Michael.*

THIRD DAY.

TAI-YUEN STAKES.—Value 75 Taels. Three miles.
1. MR. MARTIN'S *Blancmange*
2. " SEMPER'S *Don er*
3. " JACKSON'S *Touch & Go.*

*Touch and Go* took the lead as usual and kept it until the last half mile when *Donner* and *Blancmange* came up and raced home, the latter winning easily. Time 1 minute, 40 seconds.

TRIAL STAKES.—Value 120 Taels. 1 mile for all winners.
1. MR. WAVERLEY'S *Imposter.*
2. THE UNION'S *Paragon.*
3. MR. JACKSON'S *Ringleader.*

This was the best race of the meeting. *Envoy Jack O'Lantern* and *Paragon* taking the lead which they kept until within quarter of a mile of the Judge's Box. *Imposter* who was hard held to that point was then let go and passing the others came in three or four lengths a head. *Paragon* secured second place by half a length, the same distance dividing third and fourth pony; altogether a splendid Race. Time 2 minutes, 18 seconds.

A few private Matches concluded the day's amusements.

## Police Reports.

BEFORE C. C. SMITH, ESQ.

P. C. 6, HENRY MATHER,—was charged with attempting to suborn witnesses to give false evidence against Mr. Neilson inspector of buildings.

MR. POLLARD, instructed by MR. GASKELL appeared for the complainant.

The Chinese sergeant Ah Fat said that on the 14th instant he heard the defendant stating that two European constables had entered a gambling house and had there apprehended two prisoners from whom they had received $15 each to let them go. Witness went to Mather's to make further enquiries. Went into a house upstairs and saw a woman in one of the rooms. She asked him to sit down a moment and said we could then bring up the witness. Two minutes afterwards Mather returned with a Chinaman called Chun Asing. I asked the Chinaman if he knew of a gambling house that had been entered by two constables? Mather replied "he knows all about it." He alluded to the Chinaman. I then asked Chun Asing to tell me. He said that he had heard from a friend that the building Inspector and Inspector of nuisances had gone into a gambling house, and upon seeing them, all the people had run away. There was over $40 on the table and the Inspectors had taken it all. I asked him if he had seen it himself? and he said No. I asked him who had seen it? He replied that he could bring two men that could tell all about it. He said further that those people did not like to appear at the Police Court. Mather told him not to be afraid, that the case could be settled quietly without going into court; before Mr. Tonnochy at the Supreme Court house and that he could get back the money lost at the gambling house, and get besides a reward of $50. He said also to them "no one can put you in gaol. I can secure you. I will take you to Mr. Tonnochy and get a stamped paper so that you cannot be charged for gambling. He (Chan Asing) said he would go and get these two witnesses and come back again. Chan Asing then left the house and Mather followed him.

In answer to a question, Mather told Chun Asing he could secure the $40 paid back and a reward of $50 also, which he would secure.

*Chun Asing.*—master of an opium and rice shop. On the 13th instant the prisoner came into my shop and called to me to come along. I followed him to a house and went upstairs. There was a person in the room that the prisoner told to go out and he then closed the sliding door. There were then three persons in the room; the prisoner, Ah Fat, and myself. The prisoner asked me to sit down and spoke to me in English which Ah Fat interpreted. He said "I have heard yesterday that two inspectors had broken into a gambling house and that they had seized two men whom they had again released for $30. is that so or not? I said it is not so. I then recollected what my assistant had told me. According to what my assistant told me it was not two inspectors that had done this; that is released the men. Ah Fat then said "listen to what I am going to tell you; if you can get another man to fix the inspectors at Court and have them convicted; I will give you $50 cumshaw besides getting back the money," I then said "perhaps Mr Smith or Captain Quin will put me in gaol for telling what I have not seen myself. I dare not do that" At the same time that Ah Fat was interpreting the above I heard the prisoner say "You will not stay even one night in gaol. If you are afraid to see Mr Smith or Captain Quin I will take you to Mr Tonnachy at the Supreme Court. You need not be afraid just state what I tell you before the magistrate and you will by all means get back the money and I will give you a cumshaw of $50 if you will fix the two inspectors." He then went away. On the 14th instant I took my assistant to the prisoner's house. There were three persons in the room; My assistant's name is Cheong Akwei. Mather then said "you recollect what I told you last day about going to Mr Tonnochy; I will secure that you get back the $40 and I will give you a cumshaw of $50 besides. I went with the prisoner to Mr Tonnochy. Prisoner went in first and then took me in afterwards. Mr Tonnochy led us to Mr Hazeland's office and there a Chinese clerk interpreted. Mr. Tonnochy, and the prisoner said "press the case as quickly as you can, you need not be afraid" I did not like to come up to the Police Court but Mr. Tonnochy got into his chair and came up and I followed. but the Court was closed, and Mr. Tonnochy took me to Captain Quin in the charge room. We were told to sit down. The prisoner said "don't mention anything I have told you outside (no speaky any man know) I said very well. He then went away. I was examined by Captain Quin. He wrote down what I said. On the morning of the 16th about 7 A.M. the prisoner come to my shop and said "you no tell Captain Quin I sleep next door to you" I said I will never tell him. He then said "very well it is finished. The prisoner then said that P. C. No. 30 had been made Police Sergeant and that he who had more merit had not been promoted.

*By the Defendant,*—Did you not call me into your shop on the 12th?

*A.*—You did not come into my shop on the 12th.

*Q.*—Did you not speak to me about this affair?

*A.*—I never spoke to you about the affair before I saw you with Ah Fat.

*By the Court,*—It was the 13th the first time the prisoner spoke to me about it. I know the two inspectors by sight. Ah Fat told him one was inspector of buildings and the other was inspector of nuisances.

CHOW AKWAI,—In consequence of something the last witness told me I went with him into a room in an adjoining house. I there saw a girl a prostitute, the prisoner and sergeant Ah Fat. The prisoner led me to understand that I should get back my money. I *was* taken to the Supreme Court. The prisoner, the last witness, and I went there. Something was said there about getting back the $40 lost by my brother in the gambling house and of $50 besides. Prisoner said "go top side and say inspectors take away $40 from the table, and I will give you $50 cumshaw." I said I should be satisfied if I only get back my lost money. I was taken to the Supreme Courthouse and afterwards to the police court. Prisoner said if he would go to the police court I would secure me he said "you just say what I told you." I told Capt Quin about my brother losing $40 Capt Quin took it all down in writing. The bribe was offered me upon several occasions. I did not mention the offer of cumshaw to Capt. Quin. I repeated before Mr. Tonnachy about the cumshaw and fixing the inspectors as proposed to me by prisoner. The prisoner also wanted me to say that the two inspectors had carried off the $40 from the table in the gambling house

MR. S. TONNACHY,—Acting Registrar General, I remember the 14th of November. The first communication I received about this matter was some days before the 14th. The defendant told me casually.—

MR. POLLARD.—Is the defendant attached to your department?

MR. TONNACHY,—I think that he is.

Capt. Quin He is attached to that department.

MR. TONNACHY,—The defendant casually mentioned after talking about other matters, that there was a case coming on against two inspectors, or rather that some Chinamen had said that two inspectors had gone into a gambling house and had receive a bribe for letting some men go.

*By the Court.*—He did not mention who the inspectors were.

MR POLLARD,—How did he open the conversation? What did he speak of first?

MR TONNOCHY—I wish to alter all that I have said. He began by saying some Chinese had told him that two inspectors had broken into a gambling house, and seized two of the gamblers and only let them off on payment of a sum of money.

MR POLLARD.—Does the cognizance of that circumstance appertain to your department?

MR TONNOCHY No.—It was in a conversational manner. I gave him no directions whatever. But my office is to take cognizance of anything appertaining to gambling and to suppress vice. A few days after that the defendant brought some Chinese——

MR POLLARD,—Are you sure that you gave him no orders to bring these men?

MR TONNOCHY,—I am; sure I gave him no orders. He left the Chinese outside and they followed him in: No they did not follow him in, he came in first and said there were two Chinamen outside who wanted to see me about the matter he spoke to me of a few days back I said "you had better bring them in." They are the two Chinese now in court.

BY MR POLLARD,—He did not tell me the object of bringing them. He brought them without any instructions upon my part. The men were outside and I told him to bring them in. I did not give him any instructions to bring them, but I expected he would bring them.

MR POLLARD.—How was it that you expected that he would bring them?

MR TONNOCHY,—Because I had previously told him that if he ever met with any cases of bribery or gambling he should bring it to my notice.

BY MR POLLARD.—When they came in I spoke in Chinese and asked them what do you know about this matter? They then said we are frightened to come up, we have not been gambling.

BY THE COURT.—What did you understand by their saying "we are afraid"?

MR. POLLARD.—That is not evidence. What the witness understood by their saying so, has nothing to do with it.

MR. TONNOCHY.—They said "we are afraid to come up before Captain Quin." I said "let me hear what you have got to say?" Chun Asing said two inspectors came into a gambling house—he mentioned the name of the street and the number of the house which I have forgotten—and took away some dollars off the table and some also off our persons.

MR. POLLARD.—Did he use the word our?

*Witness.*—Yes. Chan Akwei then put in and said "Yes I was not gambling. I had a brother that ran away from me and I wanted to find out where he was and that was the reason why I went into the house. I was not one of the men seized but I saw two seized. I am afraid to go to the police Court" I said "you need not be afraid to be had up for gambling as these men had no right to enter the house having no warrant. I explained there was nothing to be afraid of. They said they were not so much afraid of being had up for gambling, as they were of the inspectors. I asked them would you recognize the two men that came up meaning the two inspectors They said certainly they could recognize them. I said who are they? They said they did not know their names. One was a tall man and one was a short man.

MR. POLLARD.—That was rather flattering for Mr. Nielson.

*Witness.*—I took it to mean that one was short and the other a little taller, I said are you certain that they are inspectors? and they replied "yes quite certain" I said "If the inspectors were all mustered before Captain Quin could you recognize them"? They said yes. I told them then not to be afraid to come to the police court and they said they would go. I brought them up to this court and then took them to Captain Quin as this court was not sitting.

MR. POLLARD. On the second occasion did he say they wanted to prefer any charge?

*Witness:*—No, he did not offer to make any charge they both seemed to be too much afraid.

BY MR POLLARD,—When he said that the Inspectors had taken money from the table, and also from their persons I understood that the Inspectors had taken money from gamblers in the room.

*The Defendant* asked this witness no questions.

*Capt. Quin* sworn. I know the defendant as one of the men under my command. The first that I heard of this affair was that the defendant come down as a messenger and told me that Mr. Tonnochy wanted me at the Court. He had spoken to me some days previously about some place in one of these lanes. He asked me to let him have someone for an interpreter, and I sent Ah Fat with him. He said that he wanted to make some enquiries about gambling in Wing On Lane.

BY MR. POLLARD,—He did not say anything about any other members of the force. I have no recollection that anything was said about $15.

MR. POLLARD,—Do you say you cannot recollect whether he said anything to you or not about two Inspectors taking $15 from some prisoners?

*Witness,*—No, I was in a hurry when he spoke to me, and I cannot tell exactly what took place. I have sometimes to attend to a dozen such requisitions in a day.

MR. POLLARD,—Whatever hurry you might be in, would you not remember a charge made by one of your men against two others in the force, of having received each $15 from certain prisoners?

*Witness,*—No I cannot remember whether anything was said.

MR POLLARD,—It is very remarkable then.

*Witness,*—When I saw Mr. Tonnochy he said he had a charge to make against two men, and he showed me the two witnesses.

I said that I should like to have a previous investigation, I sent for Neilson and Ellis and held an investigation. The prisoner was not present at that investigation.

*Capt Quin* then produced an abstract of the investigation that he had held.

BY MR. POLLARD.—The witnesses were not on oath or declaration. They were not told what would be the consequences, I have no power to administer an oath.

MR. POLLARD Oh yes I think that you have got powers to put a person on oath.

MR POLLARD, after hearing the abstract of Captain Quin's investigation read —It is remarkable that this evidence given within half an hour after being with Mr Tonnochy, should vary so much from the statement made by Mr Tonnochy himself. I mention this more particularly in reference to Ah Fat. I submit that the case is complete against Mather but I think Ah Fat ought to stand alongside of him. The case is complete with Mr Tonnochy and the two Chinamen. It is now a question for a jury.

Some conversation here followed, in which Mr Pollard asked if Ah Fat had not been once already convicted for extortion? and upon receiving an answer in the affirmative expressed his surprise that he should now again hold the grade of sergeant; and said he questioned whether he ought to be believed as an interpreter.

MR SMITH,—I cannot take his previous conviction into consideration in this matter. I must believe him as an interpreter.

AH YEE,—I am interpreter to the police station I was called upon to act as interpreter when a man named Chen Ah Kwei was examined before Captain Quin. He said "that his brother had taken away some money and some clothes which he had pawned. I followed my brother to a lane called Wing On lane and at the house No. 9 I found my brother at a gambling table. When he saw me he ran round the table and I ran after him. I saw Inspector Neelson going upstairs at the same time. Then all the people in the room ranaway in different directions and I ran down stairs I saw some money on the table several packages of unknown quantity. I caught my brother in the street and beat him." At this point I was stopped by Nielson who objected to my interpretation.

BY MR POLLARD,—I cannot recollect if he said he had seen this or had been told of it. My interpretation was objected to by Inspector Nielson.

MR POLLARD—Did he not say that he stood near the door when he saw the Inspector take the mat up with several sumes of money on it?

*Witness,*—I do not know. I think he said that he had also seen some parcels of money lying on the table.

AH FAT,—I recollect interpreting before Capt. Quin when the last witness was objected to. I asked Chun Ah Kwei what he was doing in the gambling house? He said he was running round the table to catch his brother; that the Inspectors came up the stairs and he pointed him out and as soon as he saw him he ran away. When Captain Quin asked Chun Asing to speak he shook his head and said he knew nothing about it. He said he only heard it from his friend he did not see it.

*By the Court.*—Did he say anything about the defendant having offered him a certain sum of money?

*Witness.*—No.

BY MR POLLARD,—Chun Asing said that he had come up to Captain Quin with the other man Ah Kwei in order to get his brother's money back that he had lost in the gambling house. He did not say who had promised to get it back for him. When he said that, I knew that he was not speaking the truth. I told that to Captain Quin after all was over the same day.

CAPTAIN QUIN,—There was nothing said about giving them any money. Only that they should get their money returned.

MR POLLARD, asked Ah Fat a few more questions and then sat down saying that he could not examine such a witness any further.

MR POLLARD, said that it appeared to him to be quite clear that Ah Fat had joined with Mather in endeavouring to suborn the witnesses in the first instance, but seeing afterwards that the matter was assuming a serious aspect, he then endeavoured to extricate himself from his position by casting all the blame on the prisoner. He ought to be charged along with the prisoner.

The Magistrate said that he did not see it in that light. He did not see that Ah Fat had acted criminally although he might have acted foolishly.

MR POLLARD, said it was certainly not anything to him as he was not retained for the purpose of prosecuting Ah Fat.

*Witness,* (Ah Fat) questioned by defendant. Did I offer $50 reward to the witnesses or not?

AH FAT,—You said I will give you $50 besides getting your money back.

The magistrate then committed the prisoner to the Supreme Court for trial.

The prisoner being desirous of making a statement he was duly cautioned by the magistrate. He then said: I have been appointed by the Acting Governor of this Colony to the Registrar General's office for the purpose of the suppression of gambling which I have done to the best of my endeavour.

Four years ago I was in the Hongkong police force and I know that at that time certain constables, of which number I myself was one, received weekly from the gambling houses a certain amount of cumshaw,—

*The Magistrate,* said that he would put that down short as regarded the prisoner himself; and asked him if he wished to make any statement as to the particular charge against himself?

MR POLLARD,—Your Worship is bound to take down all the prisoner says in his statement.

Defendant continued.—After I came back from Shanghai I joined the force again, and I found that the same thing was going on but to a greater extent. I went round the town. I saw a great number of gambling houses and spoke to the magistrate about it, and he recommended me to the Acting Registrar General, and through him I got warrants and broke up not less than forty four gambling houses, and have taken a great many prisoners. On doing so the cumshaw to the police has been stopped and this case against me has been the result of it. That is all I have to say. I deny the whole of the present case. I deny offering the Chinamen any reward. I acknowledge that the men spoke to me and I took them to Mr Tonnochy.

*The Magistrate,* asked the defendant if he had any witnesses to call?

*Defendant,* asked for Inspector Cronin.

*Inspector Cronin,* sworn. I know nothing at all whatever about this affair. I know that two men were brought in and that Inspectors Nielson and Ellis were sent for. I went to look after them but they were not to be found. Inspector Nielson returned at about three and I saw him on the verandah. He asked me if the captain wanted him. There was no conversation between Mr Nielson and the Chinese witnesses on the verandah. A European constable was in charge of each of them.

MR POLLARD:—that accounts for the difference in the tale they told to Captain Quin.

*Defendant,*—Did you notice any communication between the Chinese witnesses and Nielson or Ellis?

Inspector Cronin. None whatever.

*The Defendant,* then asked to be admitted to bail which was fixed at two sureties at $150 each.

MR POLLARD, asked what salary the defendant was on?

CAPTAIN QUIN $20 per month.

MR POLLARD, observed that the amount of bail was not high and added that bail certainly must not be placed so high as to make it impossible to obtain it.

*The Defendant,* then left the court.

## Supreme Court.

HONGKONG, 25*th November*,
CRIMINAL SESSIONS.
BEFORE THE HON J. H. BALL, ESQ.

TANG AKOW and nine others were charged with larceny from a ship.

The prisoner pleaded *Not Guilty.*

One of prisoners who had been admitted to bail not being forthcoming his bail was ordered estreated.

It was alleged that he had taken ill on the 3rd inst. and had gone to Canton where he had since died.

*His Lordship,* observed that there ought to be some provision made to prevent people admitted to bail from leaving the colony. In this case he would rebuke proof that the man was dead; until then the bail should be estreated.

The Attorney General in opening the case said that the ship John Lidget on her voyage from Shanghai to London had put into this port through stress of weather, and her cargo consisting of tea had been discharged here. In reloading the ship the cargo had been taken from the godowns of Messrs Scott & Co. in large cargo boats, of two of which the prisoners formed the crews. On the way from the shore to the vessel the tea chests had been opened, a quantity of tea taken out and then the top put on again, and papered over as before it had been broken. In the boats were found paper and paste used for that purpose.

As far as had been discovered there had been thus extracted some Dn700 of tea. The prisoner who was absent was a godown coolie in the employ of Messrs Scott and had accompanied the tea on board the ship. He had placed himself on deck near the hatchway by which the tea was being received into the hold, and immediately upon the fraud having been detected by some one remarking the difference in weight of some of the chests, this coolie passed rapidly into one of the cargo boats and made a sign, in consequence of which the stolen tea (contained in bags) was thrown overboard, and upon an attempt being made to seize the prisoners, they all jumped into the water and swam off but were however recaptured. The above statement was born out by the depositions of the Captain and officers of the John Lidgett and the testimony of several witnesses.

The jury having found a verdict of *Guilty,*

*His Lordship,* sentenced each of the prisoners to six months imprisonment with hard labour.

This concluded the business of the sessions.

## Letters to the Editor.

*To the Editor of the "Hongkong Daily Press."*

AMOY, 20*th November*, 1865.

SIR,—I beg to call the attention of your numerous readers to the nefarious traffic in humanflesh lately revived in our neighbourhood under the cloak of obtaining Emigrants for the British West Indies.

It is pretty generally known that the British Government have established an Agency at Amoy for the engagement of Chinese emigrants, as hired labourers, to serve in the West Indian Colonies, for a term of 5 years at stated wages, receiving $20 advance per man in Amoy, &c, free passage to the Colony; and they have this year despatched the British Bark *Dudbrook* for Trinadad with nearly 300 Emigrants on board, and there is another vessel now on the berth receiving coolies for the same destination and under the able management of Mr. F. Meyers, the depôt agent here, the supply will equal the demand.

Seeing the British Emigration so prosperous and coolies coming forward so plentifully, some needy adventurers, or perhaps some wealthy merchants, have appointed their agents here and are secretly at work collecting Chinese coolies for the "Chin-cha Islands" under the cloak of engaging them as free Emigrants for the British West Indies, and they have been so fortunate as to obtain the services of several Chinese country agents or runners who were formerly employed by the British Emigrant Societies Agent here, and having been discharged are now employed by these *slave* collectors. These country agents being well known at most of the large towns and villages around Amoy as *bona fide* collectors of coolies for the British Government Emigration, are of inestimable value to their new employers as they have very little difficulty in collecting 150 or 200 coolies and bringing them to any Port on the Coast on the promise of the advance of $20 per man to be paid to them on embarkation, and this was actually accomplished on the 27th October at Chang-chi Point near Chinchew when and where 176 coolies were shipped, there advances paid to them and the three-masted schooner (name unknown) sailed for her destination said to be Trinadad? West Indies? Perhaps the British Government Emigration Agent in China knows whether he despatched such a vessel with 176 coolies on board on the 27th Ultimo for Trinadad?

There is another vessel in readiness and will be despatched shortly. Chinese coolies (slaves I may as well call them, for "Cooley" is only a new name, for *slave*) must be getting scarce at the Guano Islands First rate speculation I believe, large profits with small outlay certain returns, &c., &c.

This odious traffic will have a crushing effect on the British West Indian Emigration when it becomes thoroughly known to the Chinese parents and friends of the poor victims who have been deceived and sold into the worst kind of slavery that ever existed. To dig Guano at the "Chincha's"! To be blind in six months after landing!! And *two* years the extreme limit of their lives!!! even if they do not commit suicide long ere that time expires. But it would take a volume to detail one half the misery that is suffered by the Chinese coolie at the "Chincha's."—I am, Dear Sir, Your obedient servant,

PRO-BONO-CHINO.

[That three-masted schooner must certainly have gone to Macao and there have transhipped her victims. Now here is a clear case of man-stealing, and to our minds, conclusive proof, that the Macao emigration laws, and the Consular practice in force there, are simple pretexts for bribery and corruption.—Ed. D. P.]

*To the Editor of the "Daily Press."*

CANTON, 28*th November*, 1865.

DEAR SIR,—As the communication of your correspondent * must have the effect of putting an effectual stop to the table-talk of the day regarding the capabilities of the *Kiushan* and *Plymouth Rock*, so will the advertisement in your issue of yesterday regarding the *Poyang* clear up all doubts, and set at naught all the reports, inferences, conjectures, &c., which you have published lately respecting the steamers expected from the North; but above all the barometer of the share market will now begin to guide the operations in that line. And as season tickets are offered to the public, it would therefore be not out of place to quote from the narrative of a journey made in the first part of this month by a party of gentlemen from Shanghai to Nanking in the *Poyang.*

"And here (at the mouth of the creek leading to Nanking) we parted with the *Poyang* and all her comforts, a finer steamer to travel in never having been taken note of in our long experience in China waters. Indeed it is hard to say which most deserves admiration the steadiness of the vessel when under weigh—the cleanliness and apple-pie order of every thing aboard, or the urbanity and openheartedness of her most popular Commander."

As regards her racing capabilities I would ask you to have a little patience; indeed it would be only fair to the above named craft that you should withhold from publishing bazaar reports regarding her till you have travelled yourself in her, on her first excursion trip to Macao.—Your's truly,

NO SHAREHOLDER.

[We congratulate our correspondent on not being a shareholder of the *Poyang* for really, putting her on the Macao line is the most rash act of opposition we ever heard of. The traffic will barely maintain one steamer, and as the *White Cloud's* proprietory embraces the names of the whole people in the trade, Parsee, Moormen, Chinese, Jews and Christians, the *Poyang* will have a weary time of it. Don Quixote charged a windmill, and the *Poyang* makes the same experiment. No wonder the shares of the H. K. C. and M. Steam-boat Company attain a premium. We never said a word adverse to the *Poyang's* steadiness and cleanliness. We said she was slow, and she was long enough on the Yangtsze to test that point. We suspect that our correspondent's excursionist must have been a gentleman of the fourth estate travelling with a gratis ticket, to whom cleanliness and steadiness appeared very remarkable.—Ed. D. P.]

*To the Editor of the "Daily Press."*

HONGKONG, 30th November, 1865.

SIR,—Having noticed certain remarks in your admirable paper of the 29th inst., in reference to the late flogging inflicted on the Chinese culprits, by those four (4) *powerful fellows*, I would beg to state that you have somewhat fallen into error in stating that these men have been appointed to that office, as I know that no such appointment exists and that up to this time—*thanks to Mr. Mercer*—they have not received any payment for the services rendered.

In my humble opinion these men ought to be paid, as they perform an unpleasant though necessary duty, and I think in this case, Mr Editor, you will agree "that the laborer is worthy of his hire." Trusting through the influence of your powerful pen, that arrangements may be made for the payment of these men on future occasions for services rendered in this matter.

I am, Sir, Yours &c.,

J. V. M. P.

## COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPTS.

*Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.*

**Opium.**—Patna, Cash, new $549½, dull, sellers. Benares Cash, $530, dull; sellers. Malwa, Cash $830, quoted—none.

Eleventh sales, Patna, $542½, sales—twelfth sales Patna $552½, sales.

**Cotton.**—Japan, none; Ningpo, $30 to $32. Shanghai, &c., $28 to $31. Bengal $25 to $29, sales. Bombay, none—in good demand.

**Rice.**—Bengal and Manila, $2.50 to $2.80, Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $2.40 to 2.65, in demand.

**Exchange.**—Bank bills on Calcutta 3d.s, 218 Rs., at 10 days' sight, 219, Rs. quoted. On Bombay at 3d.s. 217½ Rs.; at 10d.s. 218 Rs. quoted. On London at 6 months' sight, 4s. 7¼d. quoted.

**Gold Leaf.**—$23, Gold Bar, 22.90 offered.

**Sycee**—9 per cent premium, offered.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Co.'s shares, 14 per cent premium, sales firm.

Hongkong Gas Company Shares.—£3 per share premium, small sales.

Union Dock Co.'s Shares, 1 per cent prem., sales.

## Notices of Firms.

THE undersigned has this day established himself at Ningpo as General Commission Merchant under the style of ERNEST MAJOR & Co.

ERNEST MAJOR.

tf 1644 Ningpo, 1st June, 1865.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. A. W. P. KUP, in our Firm ceased on the 31st ultimo, and Mr. RICHARD DEACON, has been admitted a partner.

JOHN, BURD & Co.

495 Hongkong, January, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE authority of Mr. W. H. VICKERMAN to sign our Firm ceased on the 30th April last. From the 1st May, inst., Mr. JAMES W. PEARCE has authority to sign our Firm.

FAWCETT & Co.

tf 1281 Hongkong, 1st May, 1865.

THE authority of Mr. H. EPELL to sign our firm per procuration ceased on the 15th instant.

RAYNAL & Co.

3m 2699 Macao, 31st October, 1865.

WE have this day Established a Branch of our Firm in Hongkong.

Office Stanley Street No. 19, corner of Pottinger Street.

RAYNAL & Co.

6m 2202 Macao, 23rd August, 1865. 8-24

NOTICE.

MR. FEDERICO S. OTTENHEIM, is authorised to Sign my name per procuration from this date.

FEDERICO LASSALETTE.

3w 2661 Macao, 25th October, 1865. o-26

MR. JOHN FRASER is authorised to sign for us by procuration.

For THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED,
W. H. WOOD,
*Manager.*

tf 2700 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

WE have established a Branch of our Firm at Chefoo, and Mr. J. D. THORBURN will sign our Firm per procuration at that place.

MEADOWS & Co.

tf-28no Tientsin, 2nd November, 1863.

THE Interest and responsibility of Mr. W. HALLENSTEBEN, in our Firm has ceased.

GROSSER & Co.

Japan, 31st December, 1864.

MR. H. BONZEER has been admitted a partner in our Firm at this port.

GROSSER & Co.

tf 781 Nagasaki, 1st February, 1865.

MR. JOHN WALTER RICHARDSON has been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

BRADLEY & Co.

3m 2492 40 Swatow, 29th September, 1865.

MR. H. T. PELTZER, has been admitted a partner in our firm, and the business will henceforth be carried on under the style of LADAGE OELKE & Co., Mr. F. KOSS, is authorized to sign our firm by procuration.

LADAGE & OELKE.

2w 2865 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865

NOTICE.

WE the undersigned mutually agree to dissolve the co-partnership which has existed between us, and the co-partnership is accordingly dissolved from this date.

J. B. STEVENS.
JOHN CLAY.

IN reference to the above the Business will be carried on by the undersigned who will liquidate all claims against the Firm of CLAY & STEVENS.

JOHN CLAY.

tf 2207 Hongkong, 25th August, 1865.

NOTICE.

OUR Business in London hitherto conducted under the style of J. F. H. TRAUTMANN and that in Hankow under the style of R. O. D. MOFFAT, will henceforth at both places be carried on under our own firm.

We have also opened a Branch of our Firm at Yokohama.

Mr. ROBERT CARRICK DONALDSON MOFFAT, and Mr. FRANZ BORNTRAEGER have this day been admitted partners in our Firm.

TRAUTMANN & Co.

6m 1612 Shanghai, 1st, June, 1865.

THE Copartnership hitherto existing between Messrs J. DES AMORIE VAN DER HOEVEN and N. G. PETER at this port and at Canton, under the name of J. DES AMORIE VANDER HOEVEN, has this day been dissolved.

The business will be carried on in future by Messrs. N. G. PETER and C. EBELL, under the style of PETER & EBELL, who will settle all outstanding accounts of the late firm.

6m 2715 Macao, 2nd November, 1865.

## Notices of Firms.

I Have this day established myself at the Pagoda Anchorage, as Marine Surveyor and General Commission Agent.

JOHN C. BAYNTON,
*Pagoda Anchorage,*

tf 1914 Foochow, 12th July, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. PAUL EHLERS, in our firm, ceased this day.

Our business will in future be conducted by Mr. THEODOR HESSE, under the style of

HESSE & Co.

Which firm Mr. A. H. P. HASS, is authorized to sign.

HESSE, EHLERS & Co.

tf 2791 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865. n-15

THE partnership heretofore existing between BOMANJEE FRAMJEE CAMA and the undersigned in the Firm of F. B. CAMA & Co., of this place, ceased on the 19th October, 1865.

Mr. BOMANJEE FRAMJEE CAMA will continue the business on his own account, under the same name.

HORMAZJEE EDALJEE.

1m 2795 Hongkong, 14th November, 1865

I have this day established myself at this place as Merchant and Commission Agent under the firm of ALEXR. BIELFELD.

ALEXANDER C. F. BIELFELD.

6m 2703 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

THE business of the undersigned being about to be shortly closed, persons having claims against them are requested to send them in at once before the 1st of October next.

C. B. WADIA & Co.

tf 2391 Hongkong, 21st September, 1165.

NOTICE.

HAVING this day admitted MR. GEORGE AUSTEN MEDLEN as a Partner, the Practice hitherto conducted by me at No. 10, Club Chambers, will in future be carried on under the style and Firm of RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co., Civil Engineers, Architects, and Surveyors.

S. B. RAWLING.

tf 1095 Hongkong, 8th April, 1865.

NOTICE.

WE have this day established ourselves at this Port under the style of RADECKER, HAGEDORN & Co., as Merchants and Commission Agents.

R. RADECKER.
F. W. HAGEDORN.

tf 1783 Hongkong, 1st July, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. FREDERIK HORSEN BLOCK, in our firm ceased on the 31st May last,

TRAUTMANN & Co.

3m 2519 Shanghai, 30th September, 1865. 9-10

THE interest and responsibility of MR. ALEX. CH. F. BIELFELD in our Firm ceased on the 1st of August 1865.

ARNEMANN & Co.

tf 2416 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1865.

MR. C. HAGEN having become a Partner in our Firm our Business will be hereafter conducted under the style of LESSLER & HAGEN.

LESSLER & Co.

3m 2315 8-S Takao, 1st September, 1865.

I have this day established myself at this Port as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

C. J. MESTERN.

3m 2311 8-S Canton, 1st September, 1865.

WE have to-day authorized Mr. H. OBL to sign our Firm in China.

OXFORD & Co.

Shanghae 20th April, 1865. tf 29.4. 268

I Have this day admitted into partnership, Mr. THOMAS MERCER. The business will be hereafter conducted under the style of THOMAS & MERCER.

THOMAS THOMAS,
Public Tea Inspector and Commission Agent.

tf 1371 13.5 Canton, 1st May, 1865.

NOTICE.

HAVING received a Power of Attorney from A. BERNARD, Esq., it is requested that all parties due to the Oriental Hotel, to the 16th March, last will make an immediate settlement of their accounts, or legal proceedings will be taken for recovery of the same.

S. WORMS.

tf 1728 Hongkong, 24th June, 1865.

NOTICE.

MR. HENRY SMITH has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm which now consists of Mr. JAMIESON ELLES, Mr. EDMUND PYE, an Mr. HENRY SMITH.

ELLES & Co

tf 1785 Amoy, 1st July, 1865.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Lloyds at CANTON and MACAO.

Communications at Macao to be addressed to Mr. E. L. LANGA, H.B.M. Consular Agent there.

HILMAN & Co.

tf Hongkong, 25th April, 1863.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership hitherto carried on by the undersigned EDWARD TOWNEND, and by RICHARD BELL DAVIS, at Hankow, as Commission Agents, under the style of DAVIS, TOWNEND & Co., has been dissolved by consent.

EDWARD TOWNEND.

238 Hankow, 1st September, 1864.

THE Undersigned having taken over the business of Messrs. BOWRA & Co. in this Colony from Mr. W. A. BOWRA (who retires from the firm this day) beg to solicit a continuance of the patronage hitherto so liberally bestowed.

F. M. HARSANT.
GEO. A. F. NORRIS.

Hongkong 1st May, 1862.

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership between Mr. R. SAYLE and Mr. T. PEACOCK, in the Victoria Exchange Establishment under the name of THOMAS PEACOCK will from this date be carried on under the style and firm of SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.

Mr. W. J. STERRY is authorised to sign our firm per procuration at branch establishment Shanghai.

SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.
Victoria Exchange.

tf 2452 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

NOTICE.

I Have this day admitted Mr J. W. WOOD, a Partner in my Business, which will in future be carried on under the Style an Firm of CERRUTI, WOOD & Co.

G. E. CERRUTI.

395 Ningpo, 10th February, 1864.

THE Interest and Responsibility of MR. C. KOOPMANSCHAP in our Firm ceased on the 30th of June last.

BOSMAN & Co.

564 Hongkong, 31st December, 1864

MR. W. C. VAN OORDT, has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm.

BOSMAN & Co.

tf Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

THE undersigned has this day established himself at Tamsui and Keeloong as Merchant and Commission Agent, under the Firm of MILISCH & Co.

JAMES MILISCH.

3m 5639 240 Tamsui, 6th October, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Business of the undersigned as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND COMMISSION AGENT at this Port will from this date be carried on under the Style of KINNEAR & Co.

W. B. KINNEAR.

605 Foochow 1st January, 1865.

DURING the Temporary absence of Mr. J. W. TORREY, Mr. THOS. B. HARRIS is authorised to sign the name of our firm per procuration.

PARKER & Co.

1m 2703 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

WE have this day admitted Mr. W. HOLTZAPFEL as a Partner in our Firm.

LINCKER & Co.

tf 2179 Swatow, 10th August, 1865. 22-6

NOTICE.

THE authority granted to Mr. THOMAS LANCASTER LARKEN to sign our firm ceases from this date.

JOHN FORSTER & Co.

tf 2685 Foochow, 16th October, 1865. 30-

NOTICE.

MESSRS MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. having this day taken over our interest in our CARGO BOATS will in future conduct the Business thereof.

R. McGREGOR & Co.

tf 1819 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

WITH reference to the above the undersigned are now prepared to Ship, land and Store Cargo.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

tf 1819 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

MR. JAMES GEORGE CASWELL, is this day admitted a Partner in our Firm.

WM. G. HALE & Co.

6m 2631 Saigon, 1st October, 1865. 10-21

## Vessels Loading.

| DESTINATION | VESSEL'S NAME | CAPTAIN | AT | FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO | TO BE DISPATCHED |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| LONDON | Layard | Green | Hongkong | Gibb Livingston & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| Do. | James Russell | Griffiths | Whampoa | Smith Kennedy & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| NEW YORK | Bothwell Castle | Thyne | Hongkong | Russell & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| Do. | Gem of the Ocean | Pritchard | Whampoa | Olyphant & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| SAN FRANCISCO | Agenoria | Spurr | Hongkong | Bosman & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| Do. | See-yik | Osgood | Hongkong | Augustine Heard & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| Do. | Le A. Yik | | Hongkong | Gibb, Livingston & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| SAIGON | Oceanica | Wilson | Hongkong | Oxford & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| Do. | Felix | Laborbe | Hongkong | Landstein & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| Do. | Guayara | Raffin | Hongkong | Landstein & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| NAGASAKI | Anne Porter | Samuel Roch | Hongkong | Landstein & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| HAMBURG direct | Woizlawa | Molchin | Hongkong | Bourjau Hubener & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| HAVRE | Reconnaissance | Rullier | Hongkong | Landstein & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| MANILA direct | Ylocano | Barredo | Hongkong | Reynolds & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| S'PORE & POINT DE GALLE | Carl | Bratdbers | Hongkong | Arnemann & Co. | Quick dispatch. |
| BOMBAY direct | Thetis | Prayles | Hongkong | Geo. Holmes | Quick dispatch. |
| EUROPE | Antelope | Smidt | Hongkong | A. Lunds | Quick dispatch. |
| SHANGHAI & YOKOHAMA | Ganges, str. | Bernard | Hongkong | P. & O. S. N. Co.'s | To-day. |

STEAM TO CANTON.

The "*Kin Shan,*" To-day, at 9 A.M.
The "*Plymouth Rock,*" To-day, at 9 A.M.
The "*Fire Dart,*" To-morrow, at 9 A.M.

STEAM TO MACAO.

The "*White Cloud,*" To-day, at 2 P.M.

## For Freight or Charter.

THE A 1 British 3 Masted Schooner

"ASTREA,"

Captain Norris, of 331 Tons Register.

DENT & Co.

tf 2606 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

To any Part of the World.

THE fine fast Sailing Ship

"BRITON,"

510 Tons Register.
Apply to

D. FLEMING.
Master.

tf 1626 Hongkong, 8th June, 1865.

THE A 1 British Barque

"PRIDE OF THE WEST,"

Captain Crowan, of 3-1 tons Register.
Apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

tf 2373 Hongkong, 26th November, 1865.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

THE A 1 British Clipper Ship

"LALLA ROOKH,"

of 1277 Tons, now undergoing thorough repair, this vessel is well adapted for the conveyance of Coolies having height of 'Tween decks of over 8 feet.

For further particulars apply to Messrs HAJEE MENIAL ABDREN SHIRAJEE & Co. or to the Commander A. H. EARL on board.

tf 2379 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

## For Sale, Freight or Charter.

FOR SALE.

THE A 1 British Barque

"FORTUNA,"

of 696 Tons Register.

For further particulars apply to

DENT & Co.

tf 1714 Hongkong, 27th June, 1865.

FOR SALE.

THE A 1 American Barque

"DORCHESTER,"

429 tons.

For terms apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

tf 2836 Hongkong, 21st November, 1865.

## Vessels on the Berth.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE A 1 for 12 years British Clipper Ship

"BOTHWELL CASTLE,"

Captain Thyne, will load at Whampoa for the above Port and will have early despatch.

For freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

tf 2581 Hongkong, 14th October, 1865.

FOR NAGASAKI.

THE A 1 Prussian Brig

"MIRANDA,"

Captain Weller will load for the above port and will meet with quick despatch.

For freight or Passage, apply to

BOURJAU HUBENER & Co.

tf 2390 Hongkong, 21st September, 1865.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE A 1 British Ship

"AGENORIA,"

Spurr Master, will have quick despatch as above.

For freight or Passage, apply to

BOSMAN & Co.

tf 2490 Hongkong, 5th October, 1865.

FOR LONDON

THE A 1 British Clipper Ship

"JAMES RUSSEL,"

768 Tons Register Captain Griffiths, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged will load at Whampoa and Macao as above and meet with quick despatch.

For freight or Passage, apply to

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.

tf 2859 Hongkong, 24th November, 1865.

FOR SAIGON.

THE A 1 French Barque

"FELIX,"

Laborbe Master, having engaged a portion of her cargo will meet with quick despatch.

For freight or Passage, apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 2561 Hongkong, 12th October, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE AND COLOMBO.

THE Danish Schooner

"CARL,"

Captain Bradtberg, will have quick despatch for the above ports.

For Freight apply to

ARNEMANN & Co.

tf 2782 Hongkong, 13th November, 1865.

FOR THE CAPE AND LONDON.

THE A 1 British Brig

"LAYARD,"

Captain Green, of 174 Tons Register, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.

For freight or Passage apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 1872 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

FOR HAVRE.

THE A 1 French Barque

"RECONNAISSANCE,"

Captain Rullier, having engaged the chief portion of her Cargo will meet with quick despatch, calling at Bordeaux if sufficient inducement offers.

For freight or Passage, apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 2707 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

FOR SAIGON.

THE A 1 British Barque

"OCEANICA,"

Thomas Wilson, Master, will meet with quick despatch for the above port.

For freight apply to

OXFORD & Co.

tf 2509 Hongkong, 6th October, 1865.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE Clipper Ship

"TANJORE,"

will have quick despatch for the above Port, loading here and at Whampoa.

For freight or Passage apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

tf 2757 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

FOR SAIGON.

THE A 1 French barque,

"GUAYARA,"

Captain de Raffin, of 276 Tons Register, will meet with quick despatch.

For Freight or Passage apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

3w 2851 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1865.

## Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE A 1 American Barque

"LE A YIK,"

having the greater part of her capacity engaged will have immediate despatch.

For freight or Passage, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

tf 2877 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE American Clipper Ship

"GEM OF THE OCEAN,"

Captain Pritchard, will load at this and Whampoa for the above Port, and has a limited amount of disengaged capacity.

Apply to

OLYPHANT & Co.

tf 2848 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1865.

FOR BOMBAY, DIRECT.

THE Swedish Barque

"THETIS,"

will have immediate despatch for the above Port.

For freight apply to

GEO HOLMES,
Broker.

tf 2813 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1865.

FOR HAMBURG DIRECT.

THE A 1 Mecklenberg Barque

"WOIZLAWA."

Captain Molchin, will load here, Whampoa and Macao for the above port and will meet with quick despatch.

For freight or Passage, apply to

BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

tf 1534 Hongkong, 10th October, 1865.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.

THE Spanish Brig

"YLOCANO,"

Barredo Master, will meet with quick despatch as above.

For freight or Passage, apply to

REYNOLDS & Co.

tf 2733 Hongkong, 7th November, 1865.

FOR NAGASAKI.

THE A 1 British Brig

"ANNE PORTER,"

Samuel Rich, Master, having engaged a portion of her Cargo will meet with quick despatch.

For freight apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 2593 Hongkong, 31st October, 1865.

## Intimation.

O! sound the Lyre, the Tum-Tum and the Gong!
Awake, Ye Slumbering Denizens of Hong Kong!
Professor Wheeler, Artist of renown
From New York, Boston, San Francisco Town
And other places famed in Song and Science
Has now arrived, with every new appliance,
Combined with those employed time immemorial.
Prepared to exercise the Art Tonsorial.
Others there are in town who ply the Shears,
But send their trusting Victims forth in tears
With Mutilated locks their friends all stare
And ask: "Why who the Devil cut your hair?"
Why allow unskilled, and longtail ed Chinese
Your Head to butcher, and your Purse to "squeeze?"
Upon this Isle there is not a Hair Dresser,
Can justly claim the title of Professor—
Save Wheeler, who has spent his days in toil,
In Chemic Research "burnt the Midnight Oil,"
And now by acclamation near and far
Of other Artists justly takes the *Par.*
Hasten, Ye Unkempt, to his gay Salon,
Frequented by the Elite and Ton!
Dread no rebuff!—Noblesse or Parvenu,
Impartially he'll "Cut," "Shave," or Shampoo,
With Style Despatch and Neatness, at a Rate
It actually seems ridiculous to state;
Being no more—O Ye Illustrious Dead!—
Really,—No more than Fifty Cents A Head!
Come to the Hotel Oriental! there,
Ready to Shave, or Dye, or Cut your Hair,—
Of blessings great benevolently the Denier,—
From Morn till Night, you'll find

PROFESSOR WHEELER.

tf 2708 Hongkong, 2nd November 1865.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT & PILLS.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS AND OINTMENT have the largest sale of any Medicine in the World.

The Pills are the finest purifiers and regenerators of the blood ever known. They speedily correct all disorders of the Liver and Stomach, are invaluable in case of Dysentery, and as a general Family Medicine have no equal.

The Ointment will cure any old wound, sore or ulcer, even if of twenty years standing, and in all cases of skin diseases, however malignant, such as lepra, scurvy, itch, and all other annoying irritations of the skin, it may be relied upon as a perfect cure; indeed, for all external complaints it stand unrivalled throughout the world. These famous Remedies can be obtained of all Patent Medicine Vendors in Siam, Pekin, Hongkong, Shanghai, and in fact throughout the whole of China, India, and the Island of the Oriental Archipelago, with copious directions affixed to each pot or box in Chinese (or in any other language), and at a very reasonable price.

Agency in Hongkong:—The Hongkong Dispensary.

tf Hongkong, 30th October, 1863.

LIN-CHEONG.
No. 521,
QUEEN'S ROAD,
HONGKONG.

Making an Repairing all kinds of Iron and Copper Wares.

tf Hongkong, 21st April, 1864.

A. CARD.

PROFESSOR WHEELER, would respectfully attract the attention of the Hongkong Public to the importance of having the Hair Cut, and Dressed in an Artistic manner and style. Appropriate to the Individual is the cut of the Hair; there can be no fixed or prevailing fashion without destroying almost universally the harmony of the *tout ensemble.* Indeed as diverse as is the *contour* of the human head and facial outline, just so peculiar should be the trim and arrangement of the Hair. This fact is noted upon by only those Hair-Cutters who possess an inherent judgment in matters of taste, cultivated and improved by incessant study and application. Of this rare class. Professor WHEELER, humbly claims to be one, and the Only One in this Colony, and he modestly but confidently invites all who may be distrustful of his ability to give him at least a trial before pronouncing an adverse opinion. He may be found at all hours of the day in his Apartments adjoining the Private Entrance of the Oriental Hotel.

tf 1960 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865

NOTICE.

BEING obliged to leave Hongkong on account of ill health, I recommend all my patrons who wish their Hair Cut and Dressed Artistically to call on Professor Wheeler, being the only one who thoroughly understands his Profession in Hongkong.

J. W. ELLIOTT.

tf 1961 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865.

HONGKONG BAKERY.

DORABJEE NOWROJEE begs to inform the Public, that he has established a *Bakery* Fancy Pastry, and Confectionery business on his premises, Queen's Road, adjoining the offices of the P. & O. S. N. Company, and hopes from his long experience and careful attention to merit the patronage and support of the Public.

Hongkong 4th August, 1865.

## Intimation.

PROGRAMME
OF THE AUTUMN PRIZE MEETING
1865
OF THE
HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS,
*to take place on the 18th & 19th of December,* 1865,
ON THE RACE COURSE UNDER SANCTION
OF H. E. THE ACTING GOVERNOR.

*1st Prize.* THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION SILVER MEDAL.—Open to all effective Members of the Corps, Ranges 100, 150, 200, and 300 yards. 5 rounds at each range to be fired for Standing and from the shoulder with the regulation Carbine and Long Enfield Rifle with Government ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6 lbs. Entrance $1.

Previous winners excluded.

*2nd Prize.* THE "MACKENZIE" CHALLENGE CUP.—Value 50 Guineas, presented by J. J. MACKENZIE, Esq., to be competed for by Honorary and Effective Members of the Corps, and to be won twice by the same Member with the Regulation Carbine or Long Enfield Rifle with Government ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6 lbs. Ranges 200, 250, and 300 yards. 3 Shots at each range to be fired standing and from the shoulder. Entrance $1.

Present Holder Private DAVIDSON.

*3rd Prize.* THE "MOSTYN" CUP.—Value 20 Guineas, presented by W. M. MORGAN Esq. to be competed for by the Artillery Company with the regulation Carbine. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs, any ammunition. Range 150 and 300 yards. 5 Shots at each range standing and from the shoulder. Entrance $1.

*4th Prize.* THE "VICTORIA" CHALLENGE CUP.—Value 50 Guineas to be shot for by the Battery of Artillery and won two years in succession by the same Member, to be competed for with the regulation Carbine and ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs. 3 shots at each 100, 200, and 300 yards, position standing and from the shoulder Entrance $1.

Present Holder Captain COHEN.

*5th Prize.* A SHARP'S BREECH LOADING RIFLE presented by J. W. TORREY, Esq. Honorary Member and to be competed for by Honorary and Effective Members of the Corps with any *bona fide* army pattern Rifle, no hair triggers or any other than plain sights allowed. 5 shots at each—100, 150, 200 and 300 yards, to be fired from the shoulder standing Entrance $1.

Winner of No. 3 Prize excluded.

*6th Prize,* THE "CHINA" CUP, Value 25 Guineas presented by Captain COHEN, H. K. V. To be competed for by all effective Members of the Corps with the regulation Carbine or Long Enfield Rifle and Government ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs. 5 shots at each—200 and 300 yards. Position standing and from the shoulder. Entrance $1.

Winners of No. 3 and 5 Prize excluded

*7th Prize.* A SILVER CUP Value 10 Guineas, presented by the non commissioned Officers of the Hongkong Volunteers for competition by all effective Members of the Corps with the regulation Carbine and Long Enfield Rifle and Government ammunition. Pull of trigger not under 6lbs. Range 100, 200, 300 yard 3 shots at each from off the shoulder standing Entrance $1.

Winners of No. 1 6 Prize excluded.

*8th Prize.* A WHITWORTH RIFLE presented by Sergeant NORRIS, H. K. V. for competition by the Battery of Artillery with the regulation Carbine and ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs 3 shots at each 100, 200, and 300 yards position standing and from the shoulder Entrance $1.

Winner of No. 3 Prize excluded.

*9th Prize.* A SWISS RIFLE.—Presented by Sergeant Schulze, H.K.V. for competition by all effective members of the corps with the regulation, Carbine and Long Enfield Rifle and government ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs. Range 200 and 300 yards. 3 shots at each range standing and from the shoulder. Entrance. $1

Winners of No. 1,3,5, and 8 excluded.

RIFLE DERBY.—Open to all comers. Entrance $5, all forfeit. Subscribers not shooting allowed a nomination. No competitor or nominee can be entered more than once. Range, 300 and 400 yards, 5 shots at each. Any Rifle and any position, but no fixed or artificial rest. There shall be two prizes, two fifths of the sum total subscribed to form the first prize, and two fifths of the remainder shall form the second prize, the rest to go to the funds.

100 yard Pool Target
200 " } Open to all comers, Entrance $1 for 3 shots. Any rifle and any position. One third of the entrance money to go to the corps fund, the winner to take two thirds, and the 2nd one third of the remainder.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

No Magnifying sights may be used in firing for any of the above Prizes.

Hits and points to count.

All entries to be made in writing *and enclosing entrance* fees to Capt. Cohen between the 6th and 10th of December at noon.

Shooting to commence each morning at 10 A.M. punctually, and all members must appear in uniform.

Ties to be decided by one shot at the last range fired at until the winners be returned.

The order of shooting will be chosen by ballot by the Prize Committee prior to the day of shooting, and will be duly noted. The competition for all prizes at one range to be completed before commencing the next.

No competitor will be allowed to fire if not present at the commencement of the firing for the Prize entered for.

No competitor shall be allowed to discharge his Rifle without having previously obtained permission from the Officer or person in charge of the firing point.

The decision of the Umpire (to be appointed) shall be final in all disputed points.

The "general order" of October 7th will be strictly enforced.

"No member unless he has attended at least one half the number of drills held before the approaching Rifle Meeting in December will be allowed under any consideration to compete for the Prizes."

By order of the Prize Committee,

H. COHEN,
*Capt. and Actg. Comdt.*

tf 2745 Hongkong, 7th November, 1865.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

STRAYED from Messrs MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.'s Bungalow, last night, at 7.20 P.M. a Black and Tan English TERRIER, with name "EDWARD NORTON," on Curb-Chain Collar.

The Person restoring him to the Undersigned, will receive the Reward above-mentioned.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

tf 2734 Hongkong 4th November, 1865.

WANTED A SITUATION.

*As Nursery maid, Chamber maid, or to wait on a Lady.*

THE Advertiser having good references, which may be seen on application at the Office of this Paper, is desirous of obtaining employment in any of the above capacities and would accompany a Family overland if required.

Address S. P. Office of this Paper.

tf 2340 Hongkong, 14th September, 1865.

STEAM TO
SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, MARSEILLES, & SOUTHAMPTON.
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS & CALCUTTA.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-ships "*SALSETTE,*" Captain RENNOLDSON, with *Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie* and *Cargo,* will leave this for the above Places TO-MORROW, the 1st December, at 2 P.M.

CARGO will be received on board until 5 P.M. on the 29th November; SPECIE until Noon on the 30th; and PARCELS until 5 P.M. on the 29th.

For Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply at the Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bill of Lading, or with Parcels; and the company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and condition of the Company's Black Bills to Lading.

THOS. SUTHERLAND,
*Superintendent.*

Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office,
Hongkong, 16th November, 1865.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

*NOTICE TO SHIPPERS OF TREASURE, &c.*

TO facilitate the work of Shippers, the Company have arranged to receive any Treasure intended for Shipment in their Steamers at their Offices in the Queen's Road.

Treasure will be received in this manner any day between the hours of 10 A.M. and 1 P.M., up to the day preceding that of the Steamer's departure. Should the hour fixed for leaving be later than Noon, shipments will be received on the day of departure, from 7 to 9 A.M.

Shippers desiring to avail of this arrangement, will please send along with their Treasure, Shipping Orders and Receipts carefully filled up with Marks, Description, and Destination, and if the Bills of Lading are delivered at the same time the work will be greatly facilitated.

The Company of course except the "risk of boats," &c., as covered by ordinary Marine Insurance.

With reference to the foregoing notice, it is hereby intimated that the Company's Godowns are now ready for the reception of Opium and other Cargo for shipment in the Company's Steamers, under the same conditions as stated above.

THOS. SUTHERLAND,
*Superintendent.*

Hongkong, 24th November, 1865.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES
DES
MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.
STEAM TO
SHANGHAI AND YOKOHAMA.
THE Steam-ship

"DUPLEIX,"

Commandant Melizan, will leave for the above ports shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail.

C. BERTAND,
*Agent.*

tf 2881 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

## Intimations.

ANDREW RUSTBERG.
(LATE OF THE BRENIER BAND.)

RESPECTFULLY informs Gentlemen Amateurs that he will give instruction on the Cornet-a-Piston, Althorn, Trumpet, &c., and music in general. Gentlemen attended at their Residences at any hour convenient to them.

*N.B.*—Quadrille Band Provided.

TERMS MODERATE.

Address No. 2 Elgin Street.

tf 2051 Hongkong 3rd August, 1865.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. JOLES, EUZIERE & Co., begs to inform the Community of Hongkong, Macao, and Ladies in particular, that Monsr. Feliz Louvet, Artist Capillist from the Celebrated House of Messrs Feliz, Fobrouy, St. Honore and Hairdresser to the Empress of France, has arrived by the French Mail Steamer "*Imperatriz*" as an assistant in their business from this date.

Messrs. J. E. & Co., beg to inform their customers and the Public in General that they are ready to call at their residences, on the shortest Notice.

Monsr. F. Louvet, begs to call attention of the Public that he has a good prize Medal awarded for th eabuffe capacity.

*Also.*

A Large Invoice of Choice Perfumery from one of the well known Houses in Paris arrived by the French Mail Steamer "*Imperatriz*" consisting of assorted Bouquets, Lavendar and Rose Water, Toilet and Tooth Powder, Hair Oil, Scented Soap, Eau de Cologne, Cosmetiques, Hair, Cloth and Tooth Brushes.

*And,*

Boots, Shoes, Sponges for Ladies and Children, Frissets, Bracelets, Wigs, Razor Strops, and all sorts of Sundries.

*P. S.*—Frissets, Bracelets and Wigs, made to order.

tf 2720 Hongkong, 3rd November, 1865.

WEST POINT RICE MILLS.

THIS Establishment is now ready to receive orders for Rice to be cleaned, and the undersigned are prepared to receive, land, store, clean and ship Rice in any quantities. A new large and very powerful boiler has been expressly imported for the Mills, and large costly additions have been made to the Machinery which is now in full and perfect working order, the improvements which have been effected enabling the undersigned to guarantee the cleaning of Rice in a manner not to be equalled either by any other Mills in the East, or by the tedious hand-labour of the Chinese. The Mills can clean and turn out six hundred piculs of Rice in the working day and if greater expedition is required it can be attained. The Godowns are made of granite and are large, airy, and insurable against fire at low rates. The pier has sufficient water at all states of the tide to allow the largest cargo boats to lie, alongside and load or discharge.

Terms can be ascertained on application to the undersigned at the Mills where orders will be received. Persons unable to attend at the Mills will be waited on at their offices, and all orders carefully and promptly executed.

DARRELL & Co.

tf 1873 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

WEST POINT SAWING AND PLAINING MILLS.

THIS Establishment having been fitted with several additions and improvements to the Machinery is now prepared to execute all orders for Sawing, and Plaining wood and to undertake contracts for supplying wood-work for buildings, furniture and carpenters and joiners work generally. The sawing, planeing, mortiseing, moulding, and turning machines are of the latest and most perfect kind, and all work entrusted to the undersigned will be guaranteed to be turned out with a rapidity and in a style with which hand-labour cannot compete. Contracts undertaken either for the supply of the necessary wood or for the labour and workmanship.

Mr. A. D. Mitchell having had several years experience in establishments similar to those above mentioned, he will superintendent the work of same.

Terms can be ascertained on application at the Mills, West Point.

DARRELL & Co.

tf 1874 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

## Post-Office Notifications.

*A Mail will close*

FOR SWATOW, AMOY and FOOCHOW.—Per "*Feelung,*" To-morrow the 1st December, at 7.30 A.M.

*A Mail will close*

For SHANGHAI.—Per "*Dumbarton,*" To-day, the 30th Instant, at 6 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "*SALSETTE.*"—

The Contract Packet "*SALSETTE,*" will be dispatched with the usual Mails on *FRIDAY,* the 1st December.

The times appointed for closing, are:—

For Registered Letters 6 P.M. *TO-DAY,* the 30th Instant.

For Ordinary Letters and Newspaper at 9 A.M. on *FRIDAY,* the 1st December.

Letters can be posted from 9 A.M. till 1 P.M. and Newspapers, Books or Packets of Patterns from 9 A.M. until noon on the 1st December, such correspondence will not however be dispatched unless it bears an extra Eighteen cent Stamp on each letter, and an extra Two cent Stamp on each Newspaper, Book, or Packet of Patterns, as late fees, in addition to the ordinary postage.

Late letters addressed to the United Kingdom via Marseilles or to Singapore can be posted on board from 1.30 to 1.50 P.M. for a late fee of 48 cents each in addition to the postage, after which no letters can be received.

A Box will be kept open for the receipt of correspondence from 6 P.M. on the 30th Instant, until 7 A.M. on the 1st December.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the Window set apart for the purpose on the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Insufficiently Stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on, a fine of one shilling being charged in addition to the postage due upon all such Letters, as may be posted before 9 A.M. on the 1st December.

To the writers, as early as possible, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters which may be posted on the morning of the departure of the Packet, will be returned until after the closing of the Mail.

The Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondence, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees" when the Stamp or Stamps representing the late fee should be placed on the lower left hand corner of the correspondence.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar, will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1 of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd *January,* 1864, and no other Coins but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts of a Dollar.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes.

F. W. MITCHELL,
*Postmaster General.*

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 16th November, 1865

A French mail-packet service having been established between Shanghae and Yokohama (Japan) in connexion with the existing service between Shanghae and Hongkong, it is hereby notified that in future correspondence for Yokohama will be forwarded from this Office by each of the French Packets leaving this place for Shanghae.

Letters, &c., to be forwarded by these vessels must be marked per "Messageries Imperiales Packet ———" and they may be forwarded either paid or unpaid at the option of the Sender, at the following rates of Postage, viz: For a letter

*Not exceeding ½ an ounce in weight,* 14 cents.
*Exceeding ½ an ounce and under* 1 *ounce,* 28 cents.
*Exceeding* 1 *ounce and under* 2 *ounces,* 56 cents.
*Exceeding* 2 *ounces and under* 3 *ounces,* 84 cents

and so on adding 28 cents for each additional ounce or fraction of an ounce after the first ounces. Newspapers and Prices Current 2 cents each.

F. W. MITCHELL,
*Postmaster General.*

General Post Office.
Hongkong, 27th September, 1865.

With reference to the Notification which was published in the *Government Gazette* No. 20 of the 20th May last, authorising the transmission of Books and Trade Patterns through the Post between Shanghae and the United Kingdom, it is hereby notified that the privilege has been extended to Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Foochowfoo, and Ningpo on the terms and conditions set forth in the said notification.

F. W. MITCHELL,
*Postmaster General,*

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 28th September, 1865.

It is hereby notified for general information that arrangements have been concluded between the British Post Office and the Post Office of Prussia under which Patterns and Samples of Merchandise may be forwarded by the Post through the United Kingdom between Hongkong and Prussia at the same reduced charges and under the same general regulations which govern the transmission of Books:—the Postage at the following rates must in all cases be paid in advance.

FOR A PACKET OF PATTERNS.

*Not exceeding* 2 *ounces in weight,* 8 cents.
*Exceeding* 2 *ounces and not exceeding* 4 *ounces,* 16 cents.
*Exceeding* 4 *ounces and not exceeding* 8 *ounces,* 32 cents
*Exceeding* 8 *ounces and not exceeding* 1 lb, 64 cents.
And for every additional 8 ounces 32 cents.

The following are the States of Germany to which the new arrangements referred to apply, viz: Prussia, Austria, Bavaria, Saxony, Hanover, Wurtemburg, Baden, Luxemburg, Brunswick, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Mecklenburg-Strelitz, Oldenburg, Hamburg, Bremen, Lubeck, and the Countries which are included in the Postal District of the Principality of Tour and Taxis, viz.—Frankfort on the Maine, Grand Duchy of Hesse, Hesse (Electoral,) Hesse-Homburg Schaumburg-Lippe, Lippe-Detmold, Nassau, Reuss, Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, Saxe-Meiningen, Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach, Hohenzollern, Schwartzburg-Rudolstadt, and Schwartzburg-Sonderhausen.

F. W. MITCHELL,
*Postmaster General*

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

## Intimations.

NOTICE.

DEPOTS of Labuan Coal have been established at the undermentioned Ports:

Swatow ........Messrs. Bradley & Co.
Amoy, ........ Messrs. Elles & Co.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 2130 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

THE undersigned calls the attention of the Public to his commodious Premises (formerly known as the Queen's Theatre) for the Manufacture Repair and Renovation of Carriages, There is always on view a large collection of new and Second hand Carriages, any work entrusted to his care will be sure to meet with approbation.

LEONARD BARNES,
Queen's Road East,
Formerly Queen's Theatre.

tf 2537 Hongkong, 10th October, 1865.

TELEGRAPH AGENCY, POINT DE GALLE.

MR THOMAS CLARK continues to act as Agent for "REUTER'S TELEGRAPH COMPANY," and will receive and forward all Messages to Europe, or *vice versa,* by the Indo-European line, or via Suez, carefully registering the same.

tf 3-5 Galle 13th April, 1865 1829

NOTICE.

VICTORIA LIBRARY AND READING ROOMS, HONGKONG.
12 WYNDHAM STREET.

THE LIBRARY being now open, Persons willing to become Subscribers are invited to send their name in writing to the undersigned.

By Order of the Board of Committee,

ALFRED S. POST,
*Acting Hon. Secretary.*

tf 2295 Hongkong, 5th September, 1865.

MITCHELL & SCOTT,
*Ship Carpenters, Boat Builders, Caulkers, Spar Makers, &c. &c.*
WEST POINT,
HONGKONG.
OPPOSITE THE SAILORS' HOME.

*N.B.*—Ship-smith's Work executed on the shortest notice and on most reasonable terms.

233 Hongkong, 11th November, 1864.

SILVEIRA & Co.,
LATE HALSEY & Co.
PHOTOGRAPHERS,
Queen's Road opposite Oriental Bank.

tf 2076 Hongkong, 5th August, 1865.

## Extracts.

### The Canadian Question.

Without going so far as to say that the question of the maintenance or severance of our connection with Canada presents, as some appear to think, an insoluble problem, we must at once admit that, of all the practical political problems which lie before us, it is the most difficult of solution. There is no earthly reason why we should blink the difficulty; but every reason on the contrary, why they should discuss the whole matter in the plainest language and in the most frank and business-like fashion. Thus only can we arrive at a thorough comprehension of it. The very original and suggestive letters of our correspondent "Arcturus"—which every politician ought to meditate with care—will help us much towards this end. A sensible and practical letter which appeared in the *Daily News* of Tuesday last is also a valuable contribution in the same direction. The first step is to place distinctly before our minds what the precise question is, and what are the facts and conclusions bearing upon it which are perfectly clear. as "Arcturus" says that we are on the eve of doing something with reference to Canada, something very costly, something very committing; and that we ought not to do anything without being satisfied what that thing signifies and will involve, and whether it is a wise and profitable thing to do, not only in the face of present and actual perplexities, but of a probable, if not almost certain, future. We ought to be very careful how we either do anything or spend anything on the assumption of a line of action or a system of policy which we think we shall have to abandon, or in which we are not resolved to persevere. We must not fortify Canada, if Canada is not to be defended; we must not spend money which would be valuable to neither metropolis nor colony, if we believe that this connection will probably be ere long dissolved; we must not bribe the smallest provinces to join a scheme of federation unless we are clear that such federation would be profitable—*i.e.*, a source of strength and wealth—to them, to Canada, or to Great Britain.

It is certain then, to begin with, and admitted on all hands, that neither our North American Provinces as a whole, nor Canada in particular, can be said to have any pecuniary value to this country. They cost us much, and they bring us nothing. The only approach to a selfish interest that we can possibly have in retaining them resolves itself into this—that Scotch and English emigrants go more readily to a country where they are under British institutions and British protection than they would do to an annexed or an independent State. The value of Canada as an outlet for our surplus population might be, indeed would be, in some degree diminished if it ceased to be a dependency of the British Crown. That is really the sum total of the importance of the connection to us; we can assign no other *interested* motive for maintaining it, and the value and the motive must be admitted to be slight in the extreme; for under any circumstances emigration to Canada, being now an established stream, would probably continue without much interruption, and even if it did not, we have other colonies still more boundless and at least as attractive.

It is certain again, and admitted on all hands, that the defence of Canada, if assailed by the United States, would be a task of enormous difficulty and enormous cost. (We need not discuss the question of *impossibility*; men differ about that, and it is unimportant to our argument.) It would be a task which even when successfully achieved, would leave Canada just as valueless to us as before—a task which would bring us barren honour, but not a particle of profit. It would be a task, therefore, which Englishmen would undertake and work at with singular reluctance though of course they would do it if required, and would do it well, and would be sure to warm to their work as they went on, and perhaps become fanatically zealous about it before they had done. Such is British nature.

It is certain, too, and admitted on all hands, in view of these acknowledged premises, that if the Federated Provinces as a whole, or Canada by itself, wished for independence, we should concede it to-morrow, with a blessing and a smile, and probably a handsome parting gift. It would relieve us from an onerous duty, an unpaying possession, an ever contingent danger, an almost *damnosa hereditas*. It is nearly as certain (after a sort of inarticulate and unphilosophical but natural feeling of mortification was got over, as it soon would be) that if Canada desired to sever the metropolitan connection for the purpose of joining the United States, we should still bid her God speed, and arrange the terms of separation as liberally as we could, wondering perhaps at her taste, but admitting her practical good sense.

It is certain, finally, and denied by none, that annexation to the United States by treaty and voluntary arrangement would in a material sense be the best at least the most prudent, policy she could pursue. We have little doubt that she might make a fair bargain, and she would be free for ever—at least as far as human foresight need attempt to penetrate—from all danger of having her soil made the seat of war. Such a step would solve several perplexing questions of internal policy. She would exchange the protection of a great empire for incorporation with a great republic. She would exchange the connection with the old country, over whose politics she is allowed to exercise no influence, but which leaves her all but absolutely free to direct her own, for connection with a new one in whose political action she would possess an appreciable though not an influential share. She might perhaps have as many votes as New York in the House of Representatives, and as many as Vermont, and Connecticut, and New Hampshire in the Senate. A Canadian who looked to the far future, who had any sentiment in his nature, who appreciated the superiority of the English type of civilization over the Yankee type, even as the English one becomes modified by the rough life of the colonies, who thought more of ultimate greatness than of present comfort, would probably cling to the British connection till his country felt itself strong enough and populous enough to stand alone. A Canadian who looked only or mainly to peace and safety, who cared nothing for memories or association, and who preferred, as most statesmen would do, solid certainties to splendid visions, would incorporate his country with the Great Republic of the West on the best terms he could command.

On the other hand, it is equally certain and undisputed that as long as Canada desires to remain a colony of Great Britain, and is prepared to prove the sincerity of that desire by deeds as well as mere professions, so long this country is bound to cherish her, and if attacked, whether from pure greed or from animosity to England, to defend her *cum toto corpore regni*. It is for Canada and not for us to decide whether the connection shall continue. We cannot terminate it against her will. We cannot force independence upon her. We cannot offer her to the United States as we offered the Ionian Isles to Greece. We cannot intrigue in underhand fashion or act deliberately so as *to make her wish* for independence or annexation. This would be the most unworthy and un-English course of all. We cannot make her feel uncomfortable or insecure with us in order that she may be persuaded or provoked to seek comfort and security elsewhere. Herein lies the difficulty of the problem, which neither Mr. Buxton, nor the *Daily News*, nor even our valued correspondent "Arcturus," has faced, or given us the least aid towards solving. We may wish to dissolve the connection; we may be of opinion—that is, for the benefit of both countries—that it should be dissolved; but we cannot in common decency or kindness act ourselves to prove to Canada that she had better go, or to act shabbily towards her in order that she may be irritated or disgusted into going.

Thus much, however, we may do and ought to do, and we conclude that Mr. Cardwell will be very explicit and very firm on this head. Before we incur great expense and enter into far-reaching and committing engagements in order to protect and retain Canada, we must be quite certain that Canada desires strongly and deliberately to be retained. We must be satisfied that she clings to us not merely for the sake of the capital which she can induce us to expend on her behalf or the loans which she wishes us to guarantee. We must not sink large sums of Imperial money to enrich a colony which either meditates separation or which wants us to bribe her to remain. Above all, as "Arcturus" has pointed out, we must not, while these points are unsettled, throw away or promise a few millions in constructing an intercolonial railway in an unprofitable direction for purposes of either confederation or defence, if confederation be neither probable nor beneficial, and if defence is to be either needless or not attempted. It may be right and wise and our distinct duty to spend large sums of money to protect an integral and attached part of our dominions, when it would be simple folly to spend a farthing merely to prolong an untenable position, or to stave off an inevitable issue for a few anxious and uncomfortable years.—*The Pall Mall Gazette.*

## Houses, Lands, Tenements, &c.

### TO LET.

PREMISES in Queen's Road Central, for Offices or Dwelling House.
For Particulars apply to
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1490 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1865.

AN OFFICE with BEDROOM, COMPRADORE'S and BATH ROOM.
Apply to
MULLER & CLAUSEN.
tf 2520 Hongkong, 9th October, 1865.

PREMISES to Let with immediate possession Queen's Road East, opposite H.M. N. Dock Yard, containing Five Bed Rooms, Dining and Sitting Room, Kitchen, &c. &c., out Offices and Bath Rooms with Water laid on, Suitable for Offices, Officers Quarters, or Family Residence. Rent moderate.
Apply to
MR. H. WINNEBERG.
tf 2769 Hongkong, 10th November, 1865.

TO LET.
APARTMENTS, in best part of Queen's Road adjoining the Club, suitable for Offices or otherwise.
Apply to
HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
tf 2872 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

TO LET.
THE premises presently occupied by Messrs Ray & Co. Possession can be taken from 1st day of January next.
Apply to
HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
tf 2873 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

TO BE LET.
with immediate possession.
THE DWELLING HOUSE in Chancery Lane, adjoining the private residence of A. G. Hogg, Esq.
For particulars apply to
OXFORD & Co.
tf 2878 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

A HOUSE, in Robinson Road, immediately South West of the Albany, containing six Rooms, Bath Rooms, &c. &c. Water laid on.
For particulars, apply to
LYALL, STILL & Co.
tf 1823 Hongkong 5th July, 1865.

THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs Elmenhorst and Sander.
For particulars apply to
GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 863 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

THE No. 2 and No. 4 Two Storied Godowns in Spring Gardens, Praya, Marine Lot No. 24 and 25, with Offices, Comprador and Servants Rooms, and Cookroom, having a Capacity of 2500 Tons each.
Apply to
J. J. DOS REMEDIOS,
tf 1991 Hongkong, 25th July, 1865.

THE Upper Roomed Premises situated in Wellington Street, next to the Premises of Messrs. F. B. Gama & Co. well adopted for an Office and residence.
Apply to
P. F. GAMA & Co.
tf 2525 Hongkong, 9th October, 1865.

OFFICE and GODOWNS in the Queen's Road Central.
BIRLEY & Co.
111 Hongkong, 18th October, 1864.

3 GRANITE GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 196 at Wanchi, having Water frontage.
Apply to
P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.
1m 2722 Hongkong, 3rd November, 1865.

TO BE LET.
UNFURNISHED. Part of a House in a healthy situation, and commanding a view of the harbour. For further information apply at this Office.
tf 2870 Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

TO BE LET.
with immediate possession.
THE House in Elgin Terrace (formerly occupied by the late Chief Justice Adams.) It contains Dining and Drawing Rooms, three large Bedrooms and two Dressing Rooms, two Bath Rooms, Servants Offices, and Stabling.
For further particulars apply to
N. M. at the Office of Mr. Hazeland Solicitor.
tf 2872 Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

ELIGIBLE OPENING FOR A STORE KEEPER AT FOOCHOW.
TO LET.
THE premises lately occupied by Messrs. Kiener & Co., and situated in the most central part of the Foreign Settlement.
Apply at the Office of this Paper.
2m 2523 Foochow, 4th October, 1865.

*With immediate possession.*
The Property known as "Almack Place," having a frontage of Eighty three feet on Wellington and Gage Streets and of two hundred and twenty nine feet on Aberdeen Street, comprising a superficial area of about 19000 square feet.
Annual Ground Rent £42.12.6.
For further particulars apply to
GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th February, 1864.

A COMMODIOUS BUNGALOW with four Rooms, Outhouses, Stable and a small garden, situated at the Mosque Street, Rent $25 per month, possession can be had immediately on application to
J. M. GUFDES, Jr.
At Messrs. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2835 Hongkong, 21 November, 1865.

TO BE LET OR SOLD
AT FOOCHOW.
A Newly-built Dwelling House, situated near Messrs. Gilman & Co., and lately occupied by the U. S. Vice Consul.
The above is a Two Story House of 7 apartments, and is well provided with Bathrooms, Out Houses, &c.
For particulars apply to
HEDGE, & Co
tf 2427 Foochow, 17th September, 1865.

THE LOWER PART of the Premises occupied by Messrs. Marsh & Co., with or without Godowns.
For particulars apply to
O. DAVID.
tf 2600 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

AT FOOCHOW.
THE Dwelling HOUSE, recently occupied by Messrs. Fletcher & Co.
Possession given at once.
For particulars apply to
HEDGE & Co.
tf 2184 Foochow, 10th August, 1865. 22-8

THE HOUSE, No. 10 Staunton Street, one Door West of Graham Street, containing 8 Rooms, besides Servants quarters.
Possession can be had on the 15th November, next.
Apply to J. H. Cox,
at Messrs. TURNER & Co.'s
tf 2553 Hongkong, 11th October, 1865.

TWO FLOORS of the Detached House in the Queen's Road of which the Offices of the undersigned form a portion, situated at the Corners of Ice House Street and Duddell Street.
The Floors comprise Nine Rooms and four Bath Rooms, with Kitchens &c. complete, and are suitable for either Two Sets of Offices or for a Dwelling and Offices.
The Two Floors will be let together or separately.
Apply to
R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2212 Hongkong, 25th August, 1865.

WITH immediate possession, BELMONT, a Detached residence with the adjacent Grounds at Pokfoolum, now occupied by Messrs. Siemssen & Co.
Apply to
GILMAN & Co.
No. 8 Praya.
tf 2253 Hongkong, 31st August, 1865.

SIX GODOWNS, in Queen's Road, East, having sea frontage.
Apply to
TANG ALOK,
Canton Bazaar.
tf 1662 Hongkong, 12th June, 1865.

TO BE LET OR SOLD.
THE HOUSE and GODOWNS, at present occupied by Messrs. Lindsay & Co.
Apply to the Manager of the Bank of Hindustan.
tf 1518 Hongkong, 27th May, 1865.

## To Let.

WHARFAGE AND GODOWNS.
TO LET, GRANITE GODOWNS, abreast of the WAN "HI WHARF, with or without use of the Wharf now completed, where vessels can be ladened and discharged.
Apply to
S. E. BURROWS & SONS.
tf 974 Hongkong, 24th March, 1865.

BOARD.
FURNISHED ROOMS to let with Board, suitable for respectable Persons, at moderate terms.
Married Couples,..........$60 per month
Single Person,..........$30 per month
H. J. CARR.
tf 2353 Hongkong, 10th September, 1865.

## Storage.

STORAGE may be had in that fine GRANITE GODOWNS, under Messrs. Bosman & Co.'s Office, Praya West.
For particulars apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 1924 Hongkong, 18th July, 1865.

FOR 150,000 piculs in Granite Godowns, at Wanchai, having Sea frontage.
*Or to let for a Term*
in the same locality Godowns of 12,000, 30,000 10,000 and 60,000 piculs capacity.
Apply to
VAUCHER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 20th April, 1865.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.
THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals and other Merchandise in their own Boats and to receive the same on Storage in first class Granite Godowns on moderate terms.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, 4th March, 1863.

STORAGE can be had in the GRANITE GODOWNS in rear of Messrs Olyphant & Co's premises.
Apply to
THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
1m 2736 Hongkong, 6th November, 1865.

STORAGE.
TO Let A fine GRANITE GODOWN, in the Eastern part of Wanchi.
For particulars apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 2727 Hongkong, 4th November, 1865.

STORAGE, can be had in Granite Godowns next to the French Consul at Duddell Street on moderate terms.
Apply to
RAY & Co.
tf 1778 Hongkong, 30th June, 1865.

## Notices of Removal.

THE Office of the undersigned has been removed to Messrs. Johnson & Co.'s Godowns on the Praya No. 48, between Messrs. Bosman & Co.'s. and Messrs. John. Burd & Co's premises.
BAHLMANN & Co.
tf 1807 Hongkong, 4th July, 1865.

THE Offices of the Undersigned have this day been removed to the premises adjoining those of Messrs. A. Scott & Co.
SEVERS & Co.
tf 2782 Hongkong, 2nd November 1865.

NOTICE.
THE Business of the Medical Hall and Soda Water Manufactory connected therewith is removed to the opposite side of the Road, in the premises lately occupied by Messrs. Holliday, Wise & Co., between Messrs. Turner & Co., and Messrs. Birley & Co.
6m 1776 Hongkong, 30th June, 1865.

## Hotel.

ORIENTAL HOTEL.
HONAM, CANTON.
D. B. VINES,
Proprietor.
tf 2119 Canton, 29th September, 1865.

ROYAL HOTEL.
MACAO.
THIS first class Family Hotel, situated on the Praya Grande, and containing most airy and spacious apartments, is confidently recommended for its accommodation, to invalids and persons desiring a cool and healthy retreat in Summer.
tf Macao, 22nd April, 1864.

RESTAURANT DES FRERES PROVENCAUX.
TENU Par M. GAUDRY et Compn. prend des pensionnaires au mois. Dejeuners et diners pour la ville. Reçoit des commandes de Patisseries de toutes sortes et à des prix modérés.
tf 751 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

RESTAURANT DES FRERES PROVENCEAUX.
KEPT by Messrs. GAUDRY & Co., receive Monthly Boarders, Breakfasts and Dinners sent to any part of the town. All sorts of pastry made to order at moderate prices.
tf 2755 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

## Educational.

ST. SAVIOURS SCHOOLS,
*Pottinger Street corner of Wellington Street.*
IT is most respectfully intimated to Parents and Guardians, that the New Schools lately erected in Pottinger Street corner of Wellington Street, in a style suitable to the wants of the climate and managed with a view of meeting the peculiar want of this Commercial Colony, are now in full operation.
The system of tuition adopted in these Schools is purely Commercial, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, Geometry, Geography, History, Grammar, Composition, Foreign Languages, Music, and Drawing, are taught by proficient resident Masters. No objection is made to the admission of any Pupil on the score of religion nor will the religious feelings of any pupil be tampered with.
A suite of large Airy Rooms, has been opened in the same Schools for the reception of Boarding Pupils. To Boys leaving home for the first time, the change will be made as easy as can be by the kindness which shall be shown them and by the exclusion of everything materially coercive.
Further particulars may be known by applying to the Principal J. Borgazzi, who earnestly desires that communication be made before any boarder pupil is sent to the Schools.
St. Saviours' Schools.
Hongkong, 30th November, 1864.

MRS. TALBOT begs to announce that at the suggestion and solicitation of Friends and parents of Children in Hongkong, she has been induced to open a School for Young Ladies, and trusts that by devoting her whole attention and constant kind care to the welfare and improvement of the pupils who may be entrusted to her charge, to afford every satisfaction and ensure patronage.
The course of instruction comprises all the essentials of a sound English Education, with Music, Drawing and French if desired. Terms and any other particulars may be ascertained at Mrs. Talbot's abode, viz: at the house of her parents; No. 2, Lansdowne Terrace, Aberdeen Street.
Hongkong 3rd March, 1865.

## Insurances.

NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Hongkong and Canton, and are prepared to grant Insurance Policies against fire on brick and tiled godowns, Dwelling Houses, &c., and on goods and others property stored therein.
THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
tf 2814 Hongkong, 18th November, 1865.

LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Insurances against FIRE upon European Buildings and Merchandise, and upon Chinese Property.
LYALL, STILL & Co.
122 Hongkong, 20th October, 1864.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having received extended limits from the Royal Insurance Company, are now authorised to issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz:—
On any First-class Building or on Goods Stored therein in Hongkong, $50,000
in Macao ....... $45,000
ROB. S. WALKER & Co
*Agents Royal Insurance Company, of Liverpool.*
tf Hongkong, 8th May, 1865.

## Insurances.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE,
137 Leadenhall Street, London,
JAMES HARTLEY & Co., — *Managers.*
Established 1843.
THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.
THOS. SUTHERLAND,
*Agent.*
tf Hongkong, 17 March, 1863.

CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY, "LIMITED."
Capital 1,000,000 Dollars.
In 200 Shares at $5,000 each.
*Managing Committee:*
William Neilson, Esq., (Messrs Olyphant & Co.)
John W. McLellan, Esq., (Manager, Commercial Bank Corporation of India and the East)
Richard Deacon, Esq., (Messrs. John Burd & Co.)
*General Agents.*
Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
THE Head Office of the Company is at Victoria, Hongkong, and Agencies have been opened at the following ports where Policies for Marine Risks will be issued upon the usual terms.
At Canton, Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Foochow, Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Shanghai, Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Hankow, H. G. Bridges, Esq., at Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Kiukiang, John Pastorius, Esq., at Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Swatow, Messrs. Bradley & Co.
At Tientsin, Messrs. Ferguson & Co.
At Bangkok, F. Blake, Esq., at Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Saigon, Messrs W. G. Hale & Co.
At Singapore and Penang, Messrs Boustead & Co.
At Rangoon, Akyab and Bassein Messrs. Niebuhr & Co.
At Ningpo, Messrs. Davidson & Co.
At Manila, Messrs Russell & Sturgis.
At Yokohama, A. O. Gay, Esq., at Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
Agencies at other Ports of China and Japan and also in India, Europe and America, will be shortly established.
Payment for losses will be made in London India and wherever an Agency of the Company exists, in one Month after proof of loss.
In addition to the usual Brokerage of 10 (Ten) per cent, a further return of five per cent. upon Premia will be made to all Insurers with the Company.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
*General Agents.*
tf 2779 Hongkong, 11th November, 1865.

REDUCTION
*In the rates of Premium for*
FIRE INSURANCE.
THE undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last,) received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and on Furniture and effects therein contained.
In cases of Dwelling Houses removed from the Town the rate of premium will be three quarters per Cent in place of one per Cent per Annum as hitherto charged, and in cases of Residences, so situated being detached or semi detached the rate will be further reduced to one half per cent.
The Royal's annual rates for fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows until further notice, viz:—
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses, (removed from the Town) and their contents..... ½ per Cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents..... ¾ per Cent.
Offices and Godowns, and their contents..... 1 per Cent.
China Houses and their contents..... First Class, 1½ per Cent. Second Class 1¾ per Cent.
Other Risks by Special arrangement.
ROBERT S. WALKER & Co.,
*Agents, Royal Insurance Company*
tf 714 Hongkong, 7th January, 1865.

PHŒNIX ASSURANCE.
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance viz:—
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from town and their contents. ½ per Cent
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents. ¾ per Cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their Contents. 1 per Cent.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,
Agents Phœnix Assurance.
tf 876 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.
In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured at the close of each current year, fifteen (15%) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year dividend pro rate to the amount of premium paid by each policy holder.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, 10th November, 1862.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at the usual Terms.
SMITH KENNEDY & Co.
203 Hongkong, 4th November, 1864.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Reduction in the Rates of Premium
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance viz:—
Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents. ½ per Cent
Other dwelling Houses, used strictly as such and their Contents ¾ per Cent
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their Contents. 1 per Cent
GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company.
tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

THE COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.
Capital £2,500,000 Fully Subscribed.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for this Company are prepared to accept Marine and Fire Risks on the usual terms.
THE BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.
tf 780 Hongkong, 16th February, 1865.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.
*Capital*—One Million Sterling.
THE Directors have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs. Holliday Wise & Co., as Agents for this Company at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Foochow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates, and of whom all needful information may be obtained.
By Order of the Board
JAMES B. NORTHCOTT,
*Secretary.*

THE CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE Company has been Registered under "The Companies Ordinance 1865," and the Members are requested to Sign the Articles of Association which will be found at the Office of the General Agents.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
*General Agents.*
tf 2573 Hongkong, 13th October, 1865.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are now prepared to accept Risks and to Grant Policies on the usual Terms.
THOMAS & MERCER.
tf 2594 Canton, 17th October, 1865.

LIVERPOOL, LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
The undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are Prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of £10,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein
SMITH KENNEDY & Co.
Hongkong, 5th August, 1861.

## Insurances.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Subscribed Capital, Tls. 2,000,000 in 400 Shares, of Tls. 5,000 each
Paid-up Capital, Tls. 200,000
*Directors.*
George Tyson, Esq., (Messrs. Russell & Co.)—*Chairman.*
J. H. Bell, Esq., (Messrs. W. R. Adamson & Co.)
F. Porter, Esq., (Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co.)
J. Thorne, Esq., (Messrs. Thorne, Bros & Co.)
R. R. Tyers, Esq., (Messrs. Olyphant and Co.)
A. J. How, Esq., (Messrs. Johnson & Co.)
Agencies are established at the several ports China and Japan.
L. JOSEPHS,
*Secretary.*
Shanghai, 22nd August, 1864.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY (FIRE AND LIFE)
Capital Two Millions Sterling.
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the risk of Fire on Buildings or on goods Stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on goods on board Vessels, and on hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual terms and conditions.
Proposals for Life Assurances will be received and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.
If required, protection will be granted on first Class Lives up to £1000 on a single Life.
For rates of premiums, forms of proposals, or any other information
Apply to
OXFORD & Co.
Agents at Hongkong and Canton.
1y 2721 Hongkong, 3rd November, 1865.

LIVERPOOL, LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurances viz:—
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents, ½ per Cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents, ¾ per Cent.
Godowns Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. 1 per Cent
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
Agents Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Company
tf 869 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

LIFE ASSURANCE.
THE undersigned have received authority for recent Mail to issue Life Policies by amounts not exceeding £1,000 without reference to the Head Offices, as was previously required by the Board.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
*Agents, Royal Insurance Co.*
555 Hongkong, 7th January 186

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
The undersigned are prepared to grant Policies in this Office on the usual terms and conditions to the extent of £10,000 on any one building with its contents, or to the extent of £5,000 on three or more separate buildings in the same occupancy, and also to the extent of £30,000 on ship in Harbour, or their Cargoes.
SMITH KENNEDY & Co.
Hongkong, 27th October, 1862.

EASTERN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. REGISTERED.
THE business of this Company, has been Transferred to The HOME and COLONIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, who will settle all claims, on policies issued, by the first named Company.
TURNER & Co.
*Agents.*
tf Hongkong, 8th July, 1864.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company at Hongkong, are prepared to grant Policies, payable at any of the following Ports:—
London, Madras,
Calcutta, Melbourne,
Bombay, The Cape,
Kurrachee, Shanghai.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
Hongkong, 1st August, 1863.

HAMBURG, BREMEN, FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned are now authorized to accept assurance against Fire at Hongkong and at any of the open ports in China to the amount of Mexican $30,000 on one Risk.
WM. PUSTAU & Co
*Agents.*
Hongkong, 23rd March, 1861.

THE ELPHINSTON INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for The Elphinstone Insurance Company of Bombay, are prepared to take Risks to the extent of one lakh of Rupees in Sailing Ships and one lakh and a half in Steamers, payable in Bombay, Kurrachee, Cochin, Colombo, Madras, Calcutta, Rangoon, Moulmain, Singapore, Shanghai, London, and Liverpool, at which Port the Company has organised branches.
JAMSETJEE, NUSSERWANJEE & Co.
499 Hongkong, 1st January, 1865.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Reduction in the Rates of Premium.
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town, and their contents ½ per Cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents, ¾ per Cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and of their contents. 1 per Cent.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents China Fire Insurance Company.
tf 873 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

GUARDIAN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
Reduction in the Rates on Premium.
DETACHED and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents, ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents. ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., &c., and their Contents, 1 per cent.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.,
*Agents*
tf 2650 Hongkong, 24th October, 1865.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agent for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China, Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay, or London.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 8th October 1863.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against sea risks at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
1022 1.4 tf Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Reduction in the Rates of Premium.
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents. ½ per cent per annum.
Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents. ¾ "
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. 1 "
GILMAN & Co.
Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 886 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

## For Sale.

A Lot of fine RANGOON TEAK PLANKS of various dimensions.
Apply to
P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.
Queen's Road,
1m 2838 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1865

## For Sale.

LATEST FASHION.
H. MARSH & Co., have just received per French Steamer "*Cambodge*" a Fresh assortment from the best Paris Houses, comprising Ladies Hats, Bonnets, Silk Dresses, Wreaths, Feathers, Lace, and Embroidered Work, also a variety of other small Articles.
They will now receive goods of the latest Fashion per each French Mail, and respectfully solicit inspection.
tf 2501 Hongkong, 5th October, 1865.

FOR SALE.
SPENCER'S BREACH LOADING RIFLES with ammunition.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2771 Hongkong, 10th November, 1865.

FOR SALE.
BENGAL GRAM in bags of 160 lbs. in quantity not less than 10 bags.
Apply to
A. L. AGABEG, Jr.
1m 2760 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

JUST RECEIVED.
BY the Undersigned A complete assortment of
CARPENTER'S TOOLS
Saws, Planes, Hammers, Fermer and Socket Chisels and Gouges, Augers, Guages, Try Squares, Bread Axes, Adzes, Hatchets, Caulking Irons and Malletts, Bevels, Drawing Knives Oil Stones, Measuring Tapes, Ivory and Box Wood Rules, Files, Rasps, Spring Compasses Mauls, Sledges, &c. &c., &c.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 2808 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

JUST RECEIVED.
Ex "*Mindora.*"
FRESH RYE, Corn and Buckwheat MEAL, WHITE BEANS, &c., &c.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 2869 Hongkong 29th November, 1865.

COKE. COKE. COKE.
SCREENED COKE can be had on application to the Undersigned, or at the Gas Works, West Point.
Orders from Steam Packet Agents. Machinists and for House Use, promptly attended to.
Taken from the Yard, loose, $8 per ton,
In Gunny Bags, containing three-fourths of a picul, $9.50 per ton.
WING SING & Co.,
33 Praya West.
tf 2874 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

FOR SALE.
TO arrive, per Brig "*Waverley,*" shortly expected, about 500 New Zealand KNEES, suitable for boat building purposes.
Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 2876 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

JUST RECEIVED.
Ex "*Sydney Eggers,*"
STOCKS and Dies,
Screw Cutting Tools,
Blacksmith's Anvils,
Portable Circular Forges,
Blacksmith's Blowers, Patent,
Leather Belting—Vaccuum Guages,
Water and Steam Guage Glasses—Salinometers.
Cocoa and Milk,
Chocolate and Milk
Dried Apples. Alcohol,
Red White and Blue Bunting,
Mortice Locks. Nautical Almanacs for 1866.
Spun Yarn. Seizing. Marline, Hambroline, Houseline,
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 2866 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

JUST RECEIVED.
Ex "*Nieman,*"
LANTERNS,
Corn Starch,
Boker's Bitters
Patent Bushings,
Wood and Copper Pumps,
Borden's Condensed Milk,
Paint Brushes of assorted sizes.
Ship's and Carpenter's Augers,
Perry Davis' Painkiller, Brown's Essences Jamaica Ginger.
Prime Mess Beef and Pork in Barrels and half Barrels,
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 2867 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

JUST RECEIVED.
PORT, Sherry and Rhine Wines, of Superior quality.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
1m 2870 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

EX "*JAMES RUSSEL,*" AND LATE ARRIVALS.
Canvas Hose
Copper Tea Kettles
do Coal Scuttles
Japanned do
Fenders and Fire Irons
Garden Engines
Electro Plated Hot Water Gravy Dishes
Block Tin do do
Britannia Metal do do
Pic Nic Baskets
Fancy Flannels for Suits
Black Paris Nap Hats
Drab Hats
Felt Hats
*Also.*
Hennessy's Pale Brandy
Fine Old Port
Pale Sherry
Barclay's Stout in Bottles
Bass' Pale Ale do
do in Kilderkins
BOWRA & Co.
1m 2825 Hongkong, 20th November, 1865.

CAVITE No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars, in cases of 10 mils. Manila No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars, in Cases of 10 mils.
*Also.*
"Imperiales" in boxes.
"Regalia" in boxes.
"Londres" in boxes.
No. 1 Cheroots and Cigars in boxes.
No. 3 Cheroots and Cigars in boxes.
E. GARRETA,
Hollywood Road.
tf 2199 Hongkong, 23rd August, 1865.

A SOUND and well seasoned PORT WINE of superior quality at $9 per dozen.
Apply to
VAUCHER & Co.
tf 915 Hongkong, 14th March, 1865.

Ex "*YARATILDA.*"
GINGER-WINE.
GINGER-BRANDY.
LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2376 Hongkong, 18th September, 1865.

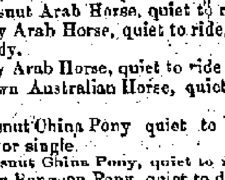
COALS suitable for HOUSEHOLD purposes, Apply to
R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2815 Hongkong, 18th November, 1865.

DIFFERENTIAL PULLIES, Capable of lifting from 5 cwt. to 40 cwt.
RAY & Co.
tf 1659 Hongkong, 12th June, 1865.

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.
DELIVERABLE in Hongkong, Shanghai or elsewhere in China.
The Engine and Boilers of the East Indian Railway Company's Steamers "*Princess Royal,*" and "*Princess Helena,*" constructed at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, by Messrs. Robert Stephenson & Co.
"Princess Royal."
A pair of Condensing Engines, having 2 Diagonal Oscillating Cylinders, 52 inches diameter, 42 inches stroke, 170 H.P. nominal; fixed in framing of best wrought iron. A pair of 10 H.P. Donkey Engines for filling Boilers, working Pumps & Winches. Paddle Wheels 15 feet 6 inches diameter fitted with feathering floats.
There are 4 Boilers of Steel, constructed upon the Loco. principle. Each Boiler has 122 wrought iron tubes, 2 inches in diameter. Boiler outside diameter, 5 feet 4½ inches; ordinary working pressure, 20 lbs to the square inch.
"Princess Helena."
The Engines are High Pressure, with 4 Diagonal Oscillating Cylinders, 23½ inches diameter, 52 inches stroke, 170 H.P. nominal, with Donkey Engines, &c., complete. These Engines are quite new, and have been carefully looked after since their arrival in Calcutta.
The Boilers are of exactly the same description as those of the *Princess Royal.*
The above Engines and Boilers are of the best material and workmanship, are fitted with all the latest improvements, and are well worth the attention of parties requiring Machinery of this description.
For further particulars apply to
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2767 Hongkong, 9th November, 1865.

Just Landed
SPARKLING MOSELLE, superior quality at $15 per dozen.
Breakfast Claret, Chateau Lafitte, at $6 per dozen.
And per Overland Mail.
Real Macaroni From Naples in boxes of 6 lbs. to 2 lbs.
Apply to the undersigned,
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.
tf 2333 Hongkong, 13th September, 1865.



FOR SALE.
AT BUTCHER'S LIVERY STABLES.
1. A Grey Arab Horse, quiet to ride.
2. A Chesnut Arab Horse, quiet to ride.
3. A Bay Arab Horse, quiet to ride or drive.
4. A Chesnut Arab Horse, quiet to ride.
5. A Grey Arab Horse, quiet to ride, and has carried a Lady.
6. A Grey Arab Horse, quiet to ride or drive.
7. A brown Australian Horse, quiet for saddle.
8. A Chesnut China Pony quiet to ride or drive, double or single.
9. A Chesnut China Pony, quiet to ride.
10. A Grey Rangoon Pony, quiet to drive, single or double.
11. A Bay Manila Pony, quiet to ride and has carried a Lady.
A Four Wheeled Carriage, newly done up.
A Basket Carriage and Harness, nearly new.
*Also.*
A Park Phaeton, with Cover, built by a leading London maker, nearly new, with a pair of beautiful Grey Java Arabs. Harness and all fittings whatever complete. In full working order—an unexceptionable turnout.
tf 2854 Hongkong, 24th November, 1865.

FOR SALE.
294 Pieces SAIGON TIMBER, suitable either for building purposes, or for Wharves. This Wood will resist the attack of Worms in Sea Water, and is Proof against White Ants.
Dimensions from 30 @ 35 feet, length 14 @ 20 inches square.
Apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2568 Hongkong, 13th October 1865.

HARNESS.
FOR SALE A Set of Double PONY HARNESS every complete, and handsome, best London make, Price $50.
Apply to
L. J DA SILVA.
Office of this Paper.
tf 2758 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

JUST RECEIVED.
John Gosnell & Co's.
INFANTS' HAIR BRUSHES,
AROMATIC EAU DE COLOGNE
LAVENDER WATER
NEW PERFUMERY
FANCY SOAPS, &c., &c, &c.
ALFRED WRIGHT,
Chemist,
Wyndham Street.
tf 2611 Hongkong, 23rd October, 1865.

EX OVERLAND MAIL.
NAUTICAL Almanacs for 1866.
Manley Hopkins' Book of Average.
Cabinet Lawyer; edition 1865.
Townsend's Manual of Dates.
Prime Cheshire Cheese.
Fresh Butter in 6 lbs Tins, at 40 cents per lb.
do do 1½ lb Bottles at 40 cents per lb.
TALBOT & Co.
tf 2824 Hongkong, 20th November, 1865.

JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE.
ENGLISH BEEF in Tierces.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2776 Hongkong, 10th November, 1865.

LEONARD BARNES can thoroughly equip Equestrians, having just received a new and Superior Invoice of Ellam's best Saddlery comprising, Racing Saddles, Hack Saddles, and Ladies Do. also a fine collection of Reins, Whips, and Bits, Head Collars, Leading Reins and Bridles, together with every requisite for the Stable. These articles will be disposed of at very much lower rates than charged by other dealers.
On view
Queen's Road East,
Formerly Queen's Theatre.
tf 2536 Hongkong, 10th October, 1865.

MOETS CHAMPAGNE.
ST. ESTEPHE CLARET.
DE LAAGE FILS & Co's FINE PALE BRANDY.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.
tf 2598 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

860 Tons best ANTHRACITE (Scranton) COALS on board Ship "*Enoch Train*" now in harbor, for Sale by
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2716 Hongkong, 7th November, 1865.

FOR SALE.
FAWCETT & Co., have this day landed an Invoice of very Superior YORK HAMS
1m-2773 Hongkong, 10th November, 1865

## HONGKONG MARKETS.

*Sales on the 28th November, 1865.*—

| Vendor | Goods Sold | Price | Purchaser |
|---|---|---|---|
| Kwong hang-tsun | 40 bales Tientsin Cotton | $ 30.50 | Yut-wo-long |
| Gibb, L. & Co. | 5,000 pls. Singapore Rice | 2.40 | Wing-foong |
| Camajee & Co. | 6,500 " do. | 2.40 | Nin-foong |
| Sheeraji & Co. | 11,000 " do. | 2.45 | Kwong-loong |
| Mahomedboy & Co. | 1,000 " Bengal do. | 2.70 | Hongkong Merchant |
| Hang-foong hong | 400 bars Malacca Tin | 23.50 | Amoy do. |
| Kin-cheong-hong | 300 pls. Black Sessamums | 4.25 | Chinchew do. |
| Teong-bing-tye | 500 " Red Dates | 5.82 | Canton do. |
| San-chun-shing | 50 " Tientsin Vermicelli | 9.70 | do. |
| Kang tye-hong | 100 " Narrow Leaved Greens | 14.00 | Travelling Merchant |
| Fat-tye-hong | 500 " Small Green Peas | 2.78 | Shekloong Merchant |
| Yee-on-hong | 3,000 " White Peas | 2.76 | do. |
| Kwong-shing-cheong | 200 " 100 lbs. Flour | 2.95 | Macao Merchant |
| Kwong-cheong-loong | 30 " Sydney Fungus | 36.53 | Canton do. |
| Kwong-mow-tye | 6,000 " Yellow Peas | 2.15 | Hongkong Merchant |
| Yuen-lut-hong | 60 bags Tientsin Vermicelli | 9.75 | Canton do. |
| E. R. Belilios | 1,099 " Bengal Rice | 2.72½ | Man-tye |

### SHANGHAI LATEST QUOTATIONS.

*Friday Evening, 24th November, 1865.*

EXCHANGE.—*On London*—Bank Rate sight, 6s. 0d. per Tael; 6 m/s. sight, 6s. 2d. Credits. 6 m/s 6s. 2½d. Bills with Documents, 6 m/s 6s. 3d. per Tls.
*On Paris*—Credits, 6 m/s sight, Fcs. 7.85 per Tls. Documents, 6 m/s sight Fcs. 7.90 per Tls.
*On Calcutta*—Bank Bills accepted 3d/s. Rs. 297.
*On Bombay*—Bank Bills, accepted 3d/s. Rs. 296.
*On Hongkong*—Bank, 3 d/s. 26¾ per cent disct; Private 15 d/s. 27½ per cent disct.
BULLION.—Mex. Dollars 72.7. Carolus 78.6. Gold Bars 98 touch, Tls. 102. Bar Silver Tls. 111. Copper Cash 1,310 per Tls.
OPIUM.—*Malwa New*, Tls. 680, *Patna, New*, Tls 390, a 395. *Benares*, Tls. 380 a 385.
FREIGHTS.—*To London*—Tea, £4 10s. Silk £3 per Ton of 50 feet.

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